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Totally
June 1950

These are my approximate statements
to the FBI.
I stated that I had sold some
to me at ²⁰⁷⁴ my place. They told me
that I had told them to come
later because I didn't have it ready.
I didn't remember the last date
it was the statement. When he drove
back again I told them that I
gave him the envelope with the stuff
not expecting payment and then he
gave me an envelope later I found
that it contained \$500.
He told them that on a month
to a month in 1944 my wife asked
me if I would give information
to tell the F.B.I. that she was
getting this info from my own
and father and was not to be
used. She was doing this because
it would be very significant.

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Memorandum Written by DAVID GREEN Describing Series of Statements to the

Authenticated by handwriting expert Elizabeth McCarthy of Boston

Tuesday
June 1950

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Said
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that
H.E. Lewis
I found
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he didn't ask me.
I then mentioned a meeting with
a man who I didn't know
arranged by phone. I established
the approximate meeting place then
from an address date. The place
was a car and I was joined by
my father-in-law, who somewhere
above 42nd St or 43rd St
man. I talked to the man
but I could recall very little
about what we spoke though
it might be that he wanted me
to talk about finding out about
H.E. Lewis's used in experiments
data. He said to determine do it on the
a book.
I made a general statement on
my own other you know the
usual thing.
I mentioned by no other meeting

DAVID GREENGLASS

Statements to the FBI

Elizabeth McCarthy of Boston

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a other meeting

with anyone.
I believe was a thing I identified
Gold as a man on a cut piece of
land, but I didn't tell the where
or how I got it. Also I definitely
placed my wife out of the room
at the time of Gold's arrest.
Also I didn't know who was
Gold to me.
I also made a pencil sketch of
an N.Y. man, set up of an
appearance. But I'll tell you
I can definitely say the information
with your office was based not at
all what I said on the statement.

ELIZABETH MCCARTHY
HANDWRITING AND DOCUMENT EXPERT

40 COURT STREET
BOSTON 8, MASSACHUSETTS

TELEPHONES:
LAFAYETTE 3-2959
CAPITOL 7-5330

May one
1953

It is my opinion that David Greenglass, who wrote on the above documents, also wrote the three-page statement described supra.

While I do not have in the standard writing all of the letters appearing in the three pages of this statement, in the letters I do have there are such unique and remarkable similarities between questioned and standard writing in all of the important, underlying unconscious writing characteristics that I can come to no other conclusion than that they were written by one and the same person. These are the elements in one's hand of which he is not aware, and which he cannot therefore hide, alter or disguise. They include type of motion; finger, wrist and arm movement; rhythm, balance and hand coordination; condition of writing line; pressure; vertical and base-line angulation; trouble spots; spacing; relative proportions between small, tall and capital letters; initial, connecting and terminal strokes; as well as individualistic formation habits in key letters.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth McCarthy

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ICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : SA J. J. FARMLEY

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: June 12, 1953

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() CSNY 425, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office, evidence concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from the building located at 80 Fifth Avenue, New York City. This building is occupied by National Headquarters of the IWO.

(XX) CSNY 425, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office information concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from 35 E. 12th St., N.Y.C. This building is occupied by the following organizations, which are all under the control of the Communist Party: Publishers New Press, Inc. ("Worker" and "Daily Worker"); Morning Freiheit Association ("Morning Freiheit" and "Jewish Life"); Workers' Bookshop; F & D Printing Co.; and 12th Realty Corporation. Prior to September, 1951, the National and New York County offices of the Communist Party also occupied these premises.

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SA J. J. FARMLEY AND SA V. H. MC PEAK

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NEW APPEALS FROM EUROPE

AND ASIA URGE CLEMENCY

New York, N.Y., March 13, 1953 --- A clemency petition addressed to the U.S. government is being signed by hundreds of people in Trieste, urging that the Rosenbergs be returned to their two small boys.

In Paris, the nationally prominent attorney Paul Villard is circulating the Rosenberg's clemency petition among his colleagues, as Italian lawyers are also planning to do.

"People of all creeds and political opinions in France," Villard reports, "pray for the salvation of the two innocents, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. Millions of people have their name and picture in their hearts."

At the memorial tablet erected in Genoa, Italy to murdered partisan fighters, a wreath has just been placed with a placard asking: "Let us give back the Rosenbergs to their sons."

The Democratic Women's Organization of Israel has petitioned the president to "commute the murderous death sentence and ... prevent the assassination of innocent people. We Jewish women regard this brutal sentence ... (as) injuring the honor of every honest person."

A number of outstanding French Catholics have appealed for clemency, including Father Martin Berger; Louis Martin Chauffier, co-manager of Figaro; Albert Boguin, executive editor of Esprit, and senators, deputies and professionals.

The Independent Labor Party of England adds "our voice to others and appeal (s) to the President of the U.S.A. that the Rosenbergs should be allowed to live."

In both East and West zones of Germany, attorneys, pastors, artists and trade unionists have joined in asking clemency. These include Stuttgart and Stockstadt victims of the Nazi Regime, 150 citizens of Muhlheim, all employees of an Oschersleben candy factory, the Hamburg Tenant's Association, the former Attorney-general of Ludwigshafen and many others.

Belgian senators and congressmen of many political beliefs have joined Henri Rolin, head of the senate, directors of hospitals and other public services, attorneys and journalists in urging President Eisenhower to grant the Rosenbergs clemency.

In Peking, Shen Chun-ju, Vice President of the International Association of Lawyers, stated: "I fully support the American people's struggle for ... the release of the innocent Rosenbergs." Dr. Mei Ju-ao, former judge of the Far East International Military Tribunal, termed the death sentence a "most brutal insult to human justice."

Lutheran, Congregationalist and ministers of other denominations held a public prayer meeting in Peking for the Rosenbergs, followed by an appeal from 18 Chinese Christian churches and societies, including YMCA's calling on U.S. Christians to work for clemency for the Rosenbergs.

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1009	6/13/53	HQ AIRTEL TO DL	1	1		
1010	6/14/53	WFO AIRTEL TO HQ NY	1	1		
1011	6/14/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	2	2		
1012	6/14/53	HQ TELETYPE TO WFO	4	4		
1013	6/14/53	^{COPY} SA MEMO TO SAC	1	1		No Charge. Dupp. 1
1013A	6/14/53	" Original "	1	1		
1014	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	1	0		
1015	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	1	0		
1016	6/15/53	HQ " "	2	2		
1017	6/15/53	NY TELETYPE TO HQ (BLUE COPY)	1	1		

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1019	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL from BA	1	1		
1020	6/15/53	NY AIRTEL from PH	1	1		
1021	6/15/53	Newark AIRTEL from HQ	1	0		
1022	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL from WFO	1	1		
1022A	6/15/53	CD TELETYPE TO HQ, NY, NH	1	0		
1023	6/16/53	^{WFO} HQ (BLUE COPY) TELETYPE FROM NY	1	1		
1024	6/16/53	HQ (Blue copy) TELETYPE FROM NY	1	0		
1025	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL from WFO	2	0		
1026	6/16/53	^{HQ} NY AIRTEL from PH	1	1		
1027	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL from BA	1	1		
1028	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM NEWARK	1	1		

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1029	6/16/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
1030	6/16/53	" "	3	3	
1031	6/16/53	" "	2	2	
1032	6/16/53	" "	3	3	
1033	6/16/53	" "	2	2	
1034	6/16/53	" "	3	3	
1035	6/16/53	" "	2	2	
1036	6/16/53	" "	2	2	
1037	6/16/53	" "	2	2	
1038	6/16/53	" "	1	1	
1038A	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL From LA	1	1	
1038B	6/16/53	WFO AIRTEL FROM HQ	2	-	Referred to another govt agency

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1038C	6/16/53	Third Party let to HQ	1	1	
1039	6/17/53	PH TELETYPE TO NY WFO HQ	1	1	
1040	6/17/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
1041	6/17/53	" " "	3	3	
1042	6/17/53	" " "	2	2	
1043	6/17/53	HQ AIRTEL From WFO	1	1	
1044	6/17/53	HQ AIRTEL From LA	1	1	
1045	6/17/53	HQ " " WFO	1	0	
1046	6/17/53	" " " WFO	1	1	
1047	6/17/53	" " " IP	1	1	
1048	6/17/53	HQ NY AIRTEL From PH	1	1	
1049	6/17/53	Newark Airtel to HQ	1	1	

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1050	6/17/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	10	10	
1051	6/17/53	" " "	3	3	
1052	6/17/53	" " "	2	2	
1053	6/17/53	PH LET TO NY	1	1	
1054	6/17/53	Third Party let to NY	1	1	
1055	6/18/53	^{BLUE COPY} NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	1	
1056	6/18/53	SAC, NY LET TO 3rd Party	1	1	
1057	6/18/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
1058	6/18/53	" " "	1	1	
1059	6/18/53	" " "	2	2	
1060	6/18/53	" " "	2	2	
1061	6/18/53	" " "	2	2	

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1062	6/18/53	WFO HQ Airtel From PG	1	1	
1063	6/18/53	HQ " " WFO	3	3	
1064	6/18/53	" " "	1	1	
1065	6/18/53	" " "	3	3	
1066	6/18/53	" " SL	1	1	
1067	6/18/53	" " "	1	1	
1068	6/18/53	Newark Airtel to HQ	2	2	
1069	6/18/53	Third Party let to SAC, NY	1	1	
1070	6/19/53	Third Party letter from SAC, NY	1	1	
1071	6/19/53	NY HQ AIRTEL From WFO	4	4	
1072	6/19/53	" " PG	1	1	
1073	6/19/53	Blue Copy NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	1	

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1074	6/19/53	HQ TELETYPE FROM NK	1	1	
1075	6/19/53	HQ AIRTEL TO WFO	2	2	
1076	6/19/53	" "	2	-	Refer to another govt agency
1076A	6/19/53	SAC LET TO THIRD PARTY	1	1	
1077	6/19/53	Third Party let to NY	1	1	
1079	6/22/53	WFO AIRTEL TO HQ	2	2	
1078A	6/22/53	NEWARK AIRTEL TO HQ	1	1	
1079	6/22/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	3	3	
1080	6/22/53	" "	3	3	
1081	6/22/53	" "	2	2	
1082	6/22/53	" "	2	2	
1083	6/22/53	" "	1	1	

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1083A	6/22/53	SAC LET TO THIRD PARTY	1	1	
1084	6/23/53	PH TELETYPE TO HQ, NY	1	1	
1085	5/29/53	NY LET TO HQ	2	2	
1086	6/23/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
1087		Missing Serial			
1088	6/24/53	Third Party let	1	1	
1089	6/23/53	Third Party let to SAC, NY	1	—	Refer to another gov't agency
1090	6/23/53	" " "	1	1	
1091	6/23/53	Third Party let to SAC, NY	3	3	
1092	6/23/53	SAC let to third party	1	1	
1093	6/23/53	HQ let to NY	1	1	

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WASHINGTON COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH CV PERSONNEL GUIDANCE

DALE [REDACTED] YORK UNIT

[REDACTED] PLANS MADE TO HAVE TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN AND ROSENBERG'S MOTHER MAKE QUOTE DRAMATIC APPEARANCE BEFORE HOUSE ABOUT TWO OR TWO-THIRTY P.M. SUNDAY JUNE FOURTH. THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN FURNISHED SECRET SERVICE AND MET. P.D.

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URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, 15-C
DAYLET. [REDACTED] TERMINAL POLICE, UNION ST. STION, ADVISED

TODAY BALTIMORE P.M. POLICE INFORMED HIM ON CO. CH. B AND O
TRAIN 26, WITH TWENTYFIVE PEOPLE LEAVING BALTO 8:22 A.M.

JUNE 14 FOR WASHINGTON. OBSERVATION MADE TO DEPART WASHINGTON,
B AND O TRAIN 7, 10:55 P.M. JUNE 14.

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DIRECTOR

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS - C
 AN INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFIED AS SALVATORE S. BARBERA HAS TODAY PICKETED
 THE MERCANTILE BANK BUILDING HERE. THE DALLAS OFFICE IS LOCATED
 CARRYING A PLACARD READING QUOTE FROM THE LATE ROSENBERG FAMILY
 VICTIM FRAME UP BY FBI JAIL LYNCH MURDERERS HARRY T. MOORE AND FAMILY
 AND RAY BUTLER UNQUOTE. INDICES DALLAS OFFICE SUBJECT A MATTER
 CAPTIONED UNSUBS, HARRY T. MOORE, HARRIETT MOORE, VICTIMS (DECEASED),
 CR, IN WHICH MATTER WENT IS OFFICE OF ORIGIN. NO INDICES REFLECT
 THAT A RAY BUTLER, NEGRO, WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY DALLAS POLICE OFFICERS
 APRIL FOURTEEN, FIFTYONE. NO INDICATION CONNECTION WITH CP, BUT
 EVIDENTLY REFERENCE IS MADE TO THESE MATTERS IN PLACARD. LOCAL PRESS
 HAS TAKEN PICTURE AND HAS TORY. WRITER HAS NO COMMENT.

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5:45 PM

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C. DAYLIT. RENTEL 3:30 P.M. THIS DATE. FOLLOWING BRINGING INSTANT MATTER UP TO DATE AS OF 5:45 P.M. AT 3:30 P.M. SA OF WFO OBSERVED PICKET LINE EXPANDED TO SURROUND TREASURY BUILDING AND THREE COUNTER PICKETS AT PENNSYLVANIA AND WEST EXECUTIVE DRIVE. AT 3:15 P.M. MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG AND TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN WERE BLESSED BY A RABBI, IDENTITY UNKNOWN, WHO ALSO BLESSED A LETTER CARRIED BY CHILDREN. THIS CEREMONY TOOK PLACE IN FRONT OF WHITE HOUSE AFTER WHICH THEY PROCEEDED TO WEST GATE AND PRESENTED LETTER TO INSPECTOR HOBART FRANCIS OF WHITE HOUSE POLICE WHO ACCEPTED SAME FOR DELIVERY TO PRESIDENT. REVERSE SIDE OF ENVELOPE CONTAINED NAME OF MICHAEL ROSENBERG. PROCESSION FOR PRESENTATION OF LETTER ACCOMPANIED BY JIM. DAVE ALMAN. WHITE HOUSE POLICE ESTIMATE OF SIZE OF DEMONSTRATION AT APPROXIMATELY 3:00 P.M. WAS CLOSE TO FOUR THOUSAND. AN OFFICIAL COUNT TAKEN BY WHITE HOUSE POLICE RESULTED IN FOLLOWING TOTAL. 6832 DEMONSTRATORS BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS: 4378 AROUND TREASURY BUILDING. 804 AROUND WHITE HOUSE. 1650 AROUND OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING. DURING DEMONSTRATION AT 9TH AND MALL NORTHWEST, DAVE ALMAN ADDRESSED THROUG ESTIMATED AT SAME SIZE AS THAT AT WHITE HOUSE. HE STATED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS RETURNING D.C. 7 P.M. TODAY AND REQUESTED ALL WHO DID NOT TRAVEL BY TRAIN TO STAY OVER AND INCREASE WHITE HOUSE VIGIL IN ORDER TO IMPRESS PRESIDENT. WHITE HOUSE BEING ADVISED OF THIS BY WFO. BUREAU HAS ALSO BEEN TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF SAME. OBSERVATIONS AND LIAISON CONTINUING.

J.P.

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WASHINGTON FROM WASH FIELD

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REACTOR

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, E.G. BAYLEY.

RECVTEL 9:30 P.M. AND REAIRTEL 9:45 P.M. THIS DATE.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY REPORTED TO WFO DETAILS OF DEMONSTRATION HELD 9TH AND MALL AS WELL AS PICKETING BY CLEVELAND GROUP AT OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING ADJOINING WHITE HOUSE. STATED THAT DAVE ALMAN ACTING AS CHAIRMAN MALL DEMONSTRATION TOLD GROUP THAT ESTIMATE BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE WAS THAT 13,000 HAD PARTICIPATED THIS DATE.

[REDACTED] TING OVER TO PARTICIPATE IN 24 HOUR WHITE HOUSE VIGIL.

877:573

AND FIELD OFFICES ADVISED BY ROUTING SLIP (S) OF

100-25476

DATE APR 8-27-53

1-WFO 100-421-2

2-NEW YORK (RM)

2-BOSTON (RM)

2-DETROIT (RM)

2-CLEVELAND (RM)

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[REDACTED] MEETING BEING HELD
800 FELLOWS HALL D.C. REGARDING CONTINUED VIGIL WHITE HOUSE. [REDACTED]
IDENTIFIED FOLLOWING OUT-OF-TOWNERS AMONG DEMONSTRATORS WHITE HOUSE AREA
THIS DATE. HELEN SCHELL AND DAUGHTER SIBBY OF NEW YORK CITY, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ACCORDING THIS b7d
DEMONSTRANT VIGIL AT WHITE HOUSE WILL CONTINUE AROUND CLOCK AND MEETING
WILL BE HELD 8:00 P.M. THIS DATE 800 FELLOWS HALL. FOLLOWING OBSERVATIONS

MADE BY SA OF WFO. HALL DEMONSTRATION BEGAN APPROXIMATELY 5:25 P.M. TWO
TRAINS DEPARTED UNION STATION FOR JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY, 6:40 AND 6:55
P.M. AT 7:15 P.M. 135 PERSONS PICKETING IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE. ALSO
THREE COUNTER PICKETS. FOLLOWING IDENTITY OF SPEAKERS AND DESCRIPTION
OF EVENTS AT HALL DEMONSTRATION COMPILED FROM OBSERVATIONS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND SA OF WFO. REVEREND MARGIE WILLIAMS, RUCCIG CROSS CHURCH,
NEW YORK CITY; REVEREND ANDY MURPHY, BOSTON; MARSHALL HILLS, MARYLAND;
RABBI ABRAHAM GROSSBACH, CINCINNATI, AND MARTHA SCHLADT. SCHELLER SANG
SEVERAL SONGS INCLUDING NATIONAL ANTHEM. GROSSBACH IN REMARKS ACCUSED
GREENGLASS OF GUILTY AND CLAIMED ROSENBERGS INNOCENT. SOPHIE ROSENBERG SPOKE
BRIEFLY CLAIMING SON VERY INNOCENT. MICHAEL ROSENBERG PRESENTED ON PLATFORM
OTHER ROSENBERG CHILD PRESENT BUT NOT BROUGHT UP TO PLATFORM. DEMONSTRATION
AT WHITE HOUSE RECEIVED CONSIDERABLE NEWS CAMERA AND NEWS COVERAGE INCLUDING
TV. [REDACTED] ARRIVING IN CAR WITH

SOPHIE ROSENBERG AND TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN FOR CEREMONY IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE

8:15 P.M.

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DIRECTOR AND SACS NEW YORK AND NEWARK URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH C.
DAYLET. FOLLOWING INFO FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]
COMMITTEE SUPERVISED EXTENSIVE LEAFLET DISTRIBUTION AFTERNOON JUNE THIR-
TEEN LAST IN AT LEAST TWO DIFFERENT LOCATIONS D. C. SOME D. C.
PEOPLE PARTICIPATED HOWEVER MOST FROM OUT OF TOWN INCLUDING ONE
SARAH LICHTENSTEIN, PHONETIC, WHO STATED SHE WAS FROM NEW YORK AND
HAS BEEN IN D. C. THREE TIMES PAST WEEK LOBBYING BEHALF COMMITTEE.
EVIDENCE SOME FRICTION LOCAL LEADERS BECAUSE NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS
HAS TAKEN COMPLETE CHARGE IN D. C. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] LEARNED MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG
DUE IN D. C. INSTANT DATE AND HELEN SOBELL ALREADY HERE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED A. M. THIS DATE FOUR CARS
BEING ADDED AT PHILADELPHIA TO ONE OF TWO TRAINS ORIGINATING JERSEY
CITY, NEW JERSEY, AND CARRYING ADHERENTS COMMITTEE. TOTAL OF THIRTY
CARS LEFT PHILADELPHIA CROWDED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REPORTED FIRST TRAIN ARRIVED AT UNION STATION TWELVE
THIRTY SEVEN P. M. WITH SIX NINE THREE ABOARD. PASSENGERS MARCHED TO
BUSES FOR TRIP TO WHITE HOUSE LED BY MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG. AT COMPLETION
LARGE DEMONSTRATIONS THIS DATE A SMALL VIGIL OF NOT OVER FIFTY PERSONS

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WILL CONTINUE ON A TWENTYFOUR HOUR BASIS AT WHITE HOUSE ACCORDING TO AARON SCHNEIDER IN CHARGE OF TRANSPORTATION FOR COMMITTEE, WHO GAVE THIS INFO TO METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL. PRINTED SCHEDULES TODAYS ACTIVITIES PASSED OUT. TWELVE FIFTY P. M. CLEMENCY TRAIN ARRIVES. ONE THIRTY FIVE P. M. GATHERING AT WHITE HOUSE. THREE TWENTY FIVE P. M. FIVE MINUTE CLEMENCY CEREMONY AT WHITE HOUSE. THREE THIRTY P. M. ALL CLEMENCY SUPPORTERS EXCEPT GROUP REMAINING ON WHITE HOUSE VIGIL TO WALK TO NINTH AND CONSTITUTION NORTHWEST FOR PRAYER MEETING. FOUR P. M. CLEMENCY PRAYER MEETING BEGINS. FOUR FORTY FIVE P. M. ENDS. SIX PM RETURNING CLEMENCY TRAIN LEAVES UNION STATION. BUS SERVICE TO BE PROVIDED FROM LIBERTY STREET FERRY NEW JERSEY TO COLUMBUS CIRCLE NEW YORK AND COURT STREET BROOKLYN. AT ONE FORTY P. M. ██████████ ADVISED SECOND TRAIN ARRIVED TWELVE THREE P. M. WITH ONE TWO FOUR SIX ABOARD. THEY PROCEEDING TO WHITE HOUSE BY BUS AND TAXI. OBSERVATION BY WFO AGENT REVEALS PICKETING AT WHITE HOUSE COMMENCED SHORTLY AFTER ONE P. M. AT TWO FORTY FIVE P. M. APPROXIMATELY TWO THOUSAND IN PICKET LINE ON FOLLOWING STREETS. EAST SIDE OF EAST EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SOUTH SIDE OF PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE, IN FRONT OF OLD STATE DEPARTMENT, AND ON EAST SIDE SEVEN-

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TEENTH STREET FROM PENNSYLVANIA TO NEW YORK AVENUES. MANY
PLACARDS BEING CARRIED CLAIMING NEW EVIDENCE, EXISTENCE OF DOUBTS,
AND QUOTES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE. NO LITERATURE BEING DISTRIBUTED.
ABOVE RESUME ACTIVITIES THIS DIVISION TO DATE. OBSERVATIONS
AND LIAISON CONTINUING. SHORTLY AFTER THREE [REDACTED]
SECRET SERVICE AGENT, FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFORMATION HE HAD
RECEIVED FROM NEWS CAMERA MEN AT WHITE HOUSE. AT THREE TWENTY FIVE
P. M. TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN AND JULIUS-S MOTHER, SOPHIE ROSENBERG
ARE TO PRESENT THEMSELVES AT GATE OF WHITE HOUSE FOR DELIVERY OF A
LETTER ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER. CLEVELAND BEING
FURNISHED COPY INSTANT TELETYPE BY REGISTERED MAIL.

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SAC, NEW YORK

6/14/53

SA REX I. SHRODER, (100-107111)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
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ReWFOtel 6/14/53.

At 6/20 pm I read the portion of retel to supervisor

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FROM : SA REX I. SHRODER, (100-107111)

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE.
IS DASH G. DAYLET. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THEY ARE CALLING FOR A MASS LOBBY IN
D. C. THURSDAY NEXT FOR TWO REASONS. ONE. TO BUILD LARGEST
POSSIBLE PICKET LINE IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE. TWO. TO CALL
ON THEIR CONGRESSMEN. THEY ARE CALLING ON EVERYONE WHO
POSSIBLY CAN TO COME TO D. C. JUNE SIXTEEN AND SEVENTEEN
NEXT. IT WILL BE A QUOTE MUST UNQUOTE FOR EVERYONE TO BE
IN MASS PICKET LINE THURSDAY NEXT UP TO TIME OF EXECUTION.
SECRET SERVICE, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT AND N. Y.
PARK POLICE BEING ADVISED PORTIONS ABOVE. ALL OFFICES
RECEIVING COPIES INSTANT AIR TEL REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY
FURNISH WFO ANY INFO CONCERNING DELEGATIONS FROM ITS DIVISIONS

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INCLUDING ALL DETAILS SUCH AS MODE OF TRANSPORTATION,
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YOUR DIVISIONS WHO WILL BE IN D. C., INCLUDING NAMES THEY
WILL USE IN CONTACTING WFO WHICH CONTACTS ARE DESIRED
WHENEVER SECURITY PERMITS SO AS TO KEEP WFO CURRENTLY
INFORMED OF ALL ACTIVITIES DURING DEMONSTRATION PERIOD.
INSTRUCT INFORMANTS TO PHONE WFO AND ASK FOR DUTY AGENT.
CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED WITH OTHER INTERESTED
AGENCIES AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE PROMPTLY
ADVISED OF ALL ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, IS-R. DAYLET,
AT SIX FIFTY TWO PM INSTANT DATE, SEVEN ONE NINE ASTERISK ADVISED
THAT ONE LAURA WAS IN CONFERENCE WITH FLO WALLERSTEIN WHO SAID
THERE IS NOTHING FROM CECILIA REGARDING THE COMMITTEE. FLO WAS
IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY. THE LAST WORD SHE GOT WAS TO SEND
TELEGRAMS TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER REQUESTING HIM TO MEET WITH
UREY. FLO SAID THAT NO TELEPHONE CALLS ARE TO BE MADE TO THE
WHITE HOUSE YET, THEREBY IMPLYING THAT THIS PROCEDURE WOULD
COME AT A LATER DATE. AT SEVEN NAUGHT SIX PM INSTANT DATE,
FLO TOLD CECILIA DEIBELE THAT JUSTICE DOUGLASS HAS AGREED TO HEAR
SOMETHING ON THE ROSENBERG CASE TOMORROW.

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS. IS-C. DAYLET.

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT [REDACTED] REPORTS THAT OVER 13,000 PEOPLE PARTICIPATED
IN ROSENBERG DEMONSTRATION IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ON SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 1953.

INFORMANT REPORTS N.J. ROSENBERG COMMITTEE MEETING TONIGHT AT 516 CLINTON
AVE., NEWARK, N.J., FOR PURPOSE OF PLANNING ROSENBERG VIGIL. INFORMANT
REPORTS ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE FOR MASS MEETING OF AT LEAST 500 PEOPLE
AT CITY HALL, NEWARK ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 17, 1953. DURING THIS
MEETING AT CITY HALL THERE WILL BE A PERIOD OF PRAYER FOR THE ROSENBERGS.
INFORMANT HAS OBTAINED INFORMATION INDICATING THAT A VIGIL MAY BE CONDUCTED
IN WASHINGTON AND THAT ALL AVAILABLE PEOPLE SHOULD PARTICIPATE. THE COMMITTEE
HAS INDICATED THAT IT WAS PREPARED TO PAY EXPENSES FOR THOSE WHO ARE
AVAILABLE BUT CANNOT AFFORD THE TRIP. [REDACTED] PARTICIPATED IN WHITE HOUSE
PICKET LINE AND HAS FURNISHED FILM EXPOSED IN HIS CAMERA WHILE IN WASHINGTON.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,
IS-C, DALET. Remy DALET JUNE TEN LAST ADVISING 10,000 PEOPLE
EXPECTED TO PICKET THE WHITE HOUSE AND U.S. DEPT OF JUSTICE
BUILDING, WASH., D.C. ON JUNE FOURTEEN LAST. SECURITY IMPORTANT

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT APPROXIMATELY 40 "PROGRESSIVES" [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BETWEEN 11 AM and 12 NOON ON JUNE FOURTEEN
LAST IN A MOTORCADE, ARRIVING WASH., D.C. APPROXIMATELY 2 PM
WHERE THEY PARTICIPATED IN A WHITE HOUSE DEMONSTRATION ON
BEHALF OF THE ROSENBERGS. UPON ARRIVAL IN WASH., D.C., THE
BALTO. DELEGATION JOINED IN THE MARCH THROUGH WHICH WERE MARCHING
AROUND THE WHITE HOUSE AT THAT TIME. ACCORDING TO INFORMANT,
THE BALTO CHAPTER OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS NOT AS YET
ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING ACTIVITY CONTEMPLATED IN BEHALF
OF THE ROSENBERGS FROM THIS DATE UNTIL THEIR SCHEDULED EXECU-
TION ON JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT.

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C. DAYLET. PH-82-S
ADVISED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER PICNIC TO BE SPONSORED BY COMMITTEE ON
6/11/53 AT CAMP ALPINE POSTPONED ONE WEEK AND WILL PROBABLY REVERT TO
CONTROL OF CRC. IN LATTER EVENT WILL BE IN HONOR OF STEVE NELSON, PITTSBURGH
SMITH ACT DEFENDANT. PERSONS ORIGINALLY PLANNING ATTENDANCE AT 6/11/53
PICNIC WERE URGED TO JOIN "CLEMENCY TRAIN" TO WASH., D.C.

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DIRECTOR

URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG

CASE, IS DASH C. DAYLET. PICKETING OF WHITE HOUSE UNDER AUSPICES CAPTIONED COMMITTEE CONTINUES WITH NUMBERS OF PICKETS OBSERVED BY SAS WFO AS FOLLOWS, SEVEN THIRTY AM EIGHT PICKETS; NINE TEN AM FIFTEEN PICKETS; TEN AM TWENTY AND ONE COUNTER PICKET; TEN THIRTY AM TWENTY AND ONE COUNTER PICKET. WF SEVEN NINE SIX S ASTERISK FURNISHED INFORMATION EVENING JUNE THIRTEEN LAST INDICATING PLANS ARE FOR NUMEROUS DC RESIDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED WITH CP AND COMMUNIST FRONTS TO ASSIST CAPTIONED COMMITTEE IN NEXT FEW DAYS BY FURNISHING OFFICE SERVICES AS WELL AS PARTICIPATING IN PICKET LINE IN SHIFTS OF FEW HOURS AT TIME. OBSERVATION AND LIAISON BY WFO CONTINUING.

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NEW YORK, N.Y.

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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

BUREAU
WASHINGTON FIELD.....URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, ISR. SEMI TELEPHONE
CALL JUNE SIXTEEN INST. [REDACTED] BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD, ADVISED
TODAY THAT FOUR THOUSAND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE WILL TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON
VIA B & O THURSDAY JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT. THEY WILL LEAVE JERSEY CITY, N.J.,
AT EIGHT AM AND AT ONE PM ON JUNE EIGHTEEN. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, ADVISED THAT THE ROSENBERG COMMITTEE DESIRES
TO SEND TWO THOUSAND MEMBERS TO WASHINGTON ON JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT VIA PENN RR
NINE AM, EASTERN DAYLITE TIME IN TWO TRAINS. ANOTHER TWO THOUSAND TO GO AT
TWO PM EDT IN TWO TRAINS. THE FOUR THOUSAND TO RETURN TO NY TWELVE MIDNITE
EDT JUNE EIGHTEEN IN FOUR TRAINS. IT IS NOT KNOWN WHETHER THIS GROUP OF
FOUR THOUSAND IS THE SAME AS THAT MENTIONED ABOVE CONTEMPLATING TRAVEL BY

B & O.

BOARDMAN

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Approved: 

Special Agent in Charge

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FBI, PH 6/16/53

COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C. DAYLEY. PH-82-8
ADVISED NAT'L COMMITTEE OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS ARRANGED FOR TWO SPECIAL
TRAINS, ONE IN THE MORNING AND ONE IN THE AFTERNOON, TO CARRY ROSENBERG
SYMPATHIZERS TO WASH., D.C., FOR CLEMENCY BALLY 6/18/53. BOTH TRAINS WILL
STOP AT PHILA. ON ROUTE. NAT'L OFFICE ANTICIPATES 1,000 DELEGATES FROM
NEW YORK WILL ATTEND THIS BALLY.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,

IS DASH G. DALET. SECURITY INFORMANT

[REDACTED]

SECURITY INFORMANT BA 923-S⁴ ADVISED PHYLLIS SACHS, BALTO, TEAM
CP SYMPATHIZER, CONTACTED MARY ROBERTS, CP MEMBER, AND ADVISED
THAT CAPTIONED COMMITTEE WANTED PEOPLE TO "CALL" SAMUEL FRIEDL,
U. S. CONGRESSMAN FROM MARYLAND, AND REQUEST THAT HE CONTACT
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND U. S. ATTORNEY GENERAL BROOKELL,
URGING EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY IN BEHALF OF THE ROSENBERGS.

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U.S. COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, 12-C, DAYLEY. CONFIDENTIAL
INFORMANT [REDACTED] REPORTED TODAY THAT A SECOND CLEMENCY TRAIN WILL DEPART
FOR WASHINGTON, D. C. ON THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 18, 1953, AT 9 A.M. WHICH
THOUSAND PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE. WOMEN WITH CHILDREN SHOULD
LEAVE THEM WITH NEAR SISTERS; THOSE WHO ARE EMPLOYED SHOULD TAKE THE DAY
OFF FROM WORK; THOSE WHO CANNOT PARTICIPATE IN THE TRIP ARE EXPECTED TO
CONTRIBUTE TEN DOLLARS TO HELP PAY EXPENSES TO THOSE WHO ARE FREE BUT
CANNOT AFFORD THE TRAIN FARE. TELEGRAMS SHOULD BE SENT TO PRESIDENT
EISENHOWER URGING CLEMENCY AND TO THE ROSENBERGS FOR THEIR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.
CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT [REDACTED] WAS REPORTED THAT ESTHER MOORE LIES, A
LEADER IN PASSAIC COUNTY, HAS CALLED UPON OTHER PARTY MEMBERS TO URGUE THE
SENDING OF TELEGRAMS TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER URGING CLEMENCY AND URGING THE
PRESIDENT TO LISTEN TO PROFESSOR URBE, WHO WANTS TO DISCUSS CLEMENCY FOR
THE ROSENBERGS WITH THE PRESIDENT. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] LAST KNOWN
ACTIVITY IN NEWARK FOR THE ROSENBERGS INCLUDES A MASS MOBILIZATION AT THE
FUR WORKERS HALL ON BROAD ST., NEWARK, FOLLOWED BY A MARCH ON CITY HALL. AT
CITY HALL, THERE WILL BE A RALLY AND PRAYER MEETING. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED]
SEVERAL OF THE CP MEMBERS WHO ARE WORKING ON THESE ACTIVITIES OBJECT TO THE
ORDERS RELATING TO THE SENDING OF ANNIVERSARY TELEGRAMS TO THE ROSENBERGS

AS NECESSARY
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CC NEW YORK
CC WASHINGTON FIELD

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ROSENBERG

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: June 16, 1953

FROM : SA E. K. DEANE

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 2 -- A "Clemency Float", one of two that will carry new evidence in the Rosenberg Case throughout New York's five boroughs during the next two weeks was launched today (Tuesday) by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

The Float, which will have blow-ups of new documents that prove major prosecution witnesses lie against the Rosenbergs, started on its clemency journey at 110th Street and Madison Ave., at 3 p.m., when the first street meeting was held. There will be a street meeting at each stop.

On Thursday, when the Float will stop in the full district, at 29th Street and 7th Avenue at 12 noon, a second Float will also start making the rounds of the boroughs. On Saturday at 11 a.m. there will be a meeting of clothing workers at 15th St. and 5th Ave.

Rosenberg Committees throughout the United States are preparing similar Floats to carry information about the new evidence and world-wide clemency pleas to the public.

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ROSENBERG CLEMENCY DEMANDS

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NEW YORK, N. Y., JUNE 9, 1953--meetings are being planned throughout Italy in behalf of clemency for the Rosenbergs on Sunday, June 14, when persons throughout the United States will make a clemency appeal before the White House, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

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Reports of increased demands for clemency from throughout the world have been pouring into the office of the National Committee.

In Italy there have been prayers in towns all over the country since the new execution date has been set. Delegations, further angered at the fact that the execution date chosen was the Rosenbergs' 14th wedding anniversary, planned to visit the U.S. Embassies and consulates.

The influential French newspaper Le Monde, in an editorial entitled "Bargain of Death" criticized the talk-or-die ultimatum designed to extract a confession from the Rosenbergs. The paper said that even if such a confession were obtained, in the light of the new

evidence introduced and in light of the fact that it would be obtained in the shadow of the electric chair, the world would be inclined not to believe it.

In Switzerland, La Tribune de Geneve, the foremost French-Swiss newspaper also rebuked the attempt to make a "deal." In an editorial titled "Torture Through Hope", the newspaper wrote that "this horrible game, this new torture by hope, continues to move world public opinion

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case today received a telegram from persons in Viet Nam demanding clemency and terming the death sentence "arbitrary."

Thousands of persons attended an open air meeting in Stockholm, Sweden, on June 5. The speakers included Dr. John Takman, child psychiatrist at the Stockholm Child Welfare Board, and Hilding Paulsson chairman of the Stockholm Plumbers Trade Union. The stage had as a background a huge painting of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg by the Swedish artist Adelyne Cross-Eriksson.

In the past week there have been editorials for clemency in leading Swedish newspapers.

Meanwhile, the list of prominent persons throughout the world coming out for clemency continued to grow at a rate that made it hard to keep up with the names.

One of the latest to urge that President Eisenhower commute the death sentence was Hugo Ernst, general president of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees International Alliance, AFL. Appeals have also been made by James Waterman Wise, a member of the editorial board of Opinion Magazine, and leading education and science figures in Israel.

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New York, June 9—Members of the Rosenberg family, pleading for clemency as the Rosenbergs are being rushed to the execution chamber, will make an appeal to the nation at the clemency rally at Union Square, Thursday, 5 p.m. (June 11)

The thousands gathered to ask that President Eisenhower commute the death sentence will hear, via a recording, a plea from Michael Rosenberg, 10-year-old son of the condemned couple.

Michael, speaking also for his brother Robbie, 6, stirred the world with a letter he wrote to President Eisenhower asking to "please let my mommy and daddy go". A member of the Uruguay Chamber of Deputies was so moved by the child's plea that he introduced a clemency resolution, which was passed by the Chamber with only one dissenting vote.

The rally will also hear Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg mother of Julius, who was in the courtroom on Monday when Judge Kaufman turned down the petition for a new trial on the basis of new evidence.

Meanwhile, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case reported a rush on reservations for the Clemency Train to Washington on Sunday, June 14. People from throughout the country will journey to Washington to make their clemency demands known at the White House.

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MOTHER MAKES PUBLIC PLEA FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY AT RALLY

Prof. Ephraim Cross Warns Execution
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NEW YORK—Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg today made a public plea to President Eisenhower to save her son and daughter-in-law from execution as thousands joined her at a rally in Union Square in an appeal for clemency.

Mrs. Rosenberg, the mother of Julius Rosenberg, said at the Rally which was held between 5 and 7 p.m., that she knew Ethel and Julius were innocent.

"I have come here to plead," she said. "To you, to President Eisenhower, to the whole world. Save my children. Don't let them die. They are innocent."

Mrs. Rosenberg said that next Thursday should be a happy day for the young parents because it is their 14th wedding anniversary, but instead they are scheduled to die.

"What can I—a mother and a grandmother—say? My Julius and my Ethel said everything for me. Only last week they said, 'If we die, it will be the murder of innocent people.'

"They are telling the truth. I know it. I know Julius. I know Ethel. They never stole any atom secrets. They know nothing about atom secrets."

Dr. Ephraim Cross, professor of English at City College, told the crowd that "the prosecution did not have clean hands" and warned that "the execution of this married couple will produce a wave of horror throughout the world that will do the U. S. no good.

"American justice and mental balance will be dealt a blow equivalent to the loss of many battlefields," he said.

"The unscrupulous exploitation of the issue of the table purchased at Macy's; the false testimony admitted by the F.B.I. in the case of the photographer who testified against the Rosenbergs and the revelations indicating a concocted testimony on the part of Greenglass, all prove that here again a trial was a mere contest of forces, not an effort to obtain the truth."

Rabbi Max Felshin of the Radio City Synagogue, and Mr. Richard Bishop, patrolman of The Marine, Cooks & Stewards Union, also spoke.

Favorite songs of Ethel Rosenberg were sung by Martha Schlamme.

Announcement was made at the rally of a Clemency train to Washington on Sunday, June 14. Reservations were being made with the National Committee to secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. Those traveling from the New York area will join persons from throughout the country before the White House in a clemency appeal.

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URUGUAY CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES ASKS EISENHOWER GRANT CLEMENCY TO ROSENBERGS

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 6, 1953 -- The

Uruguayan Chamber of Deputies, with only one dissenting voice, passed a resolution on June 1 calling on President Eisenhower to grant clemency to the Rosenbergs, the Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

The resolution, confirmed today by the Uruguayan Embassy in Washington, was submitted by Dr. Tomas Brena of the Partido de la Union Civica. Dr. Brena, a Catholic Deputy, said:

"Something has happened recently which should provide thought for all men of good will. This is the petition of the 10-year-old son of the [redacted] of the United States, [redacted] for the lives of his parents."

"This anguished cry from a child," he declared, "which is a cry of sorrow becomes at the same time a cry of hope."

"In order that the cry of a child begging for the lives of his parents shall not be in vain; in order that the cry of a child among the children of the world who have many times in wars paid for the sins of their elders, shall not be silenced

I ask that the petition from that tiny human being shall result in a telegram from the Uruguayan Chamber of Deputies to the President of the United States."

Member after member, representing all parties and trends except the single deputy who voted against the resolution, stood up to speak for the plea to President Eisenhower, and the resolution was adopted quickly.

The plea to which the sponsoring deputy referred was the recent letter from Michael Rosenberg to the President saying he had seen Mrs. Oatis tell her story on television and urging that Mr. Eisenhower send home his "Mummy and Daddy."

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ASKS ROSENBERG CLEMENCY

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 8, 1953 -- Mr. Earle Marks today made public a communication from James Waterman Wise urging clemency for the Rosenbergs. Mr. Wise is a member of the editorial board of Opinion, a journal of Jewish life and letters, which was founded by his late father, Dr. Stephen S. Wise.

In his statement, Mr. Wise pleads for commutation of the death sentence of the Rosenbergs in the interest of justice and American prestige abroad.

The statement from Mr. Wise, who is currently residing in Switzerland, reads as follows:

"I wish to add my voice to those who plead for commutation of the death sentence for Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. In so doing, I neither question their guilt nor condone their crime. They have wronged our country and merit punishment at its hands. To execute them, however, will serve neither the ends of justice nor of our national honor and security.

"Our country is not at war, and its history offers no previous instance of execution for espionage, in time of peace. Moreover, the fact that atomic secrets were revealed to a war time ally, not an enemy, mitigates though it cannot exculpate the crime -- and should mitigate the severity of the sentence.

"Under these circumstances, I feel that the death penalty would violate both the spirit and the letter of safeguards against "cruel and unusual punishments" contained in our Bill of Rights. It would smack more of hysteria than of justice under law. It would be unworthy of our country.

"Moreover, it would adversely affect the prestige of the United States throughout a watching world. I have resided abroad for several years, and know that the fate of the Rosenbergs is under the most careful scrutiny. Our friends regard that fate as an indication of America's capacity to be strong without being vindictive. They hope that hostile propagandists will not be given the excuse of the Rosenbergs' execution in order to make "martyrs" of them.

"Commutation of the death sentence would, therefore, strengthen our friends and refute our enemies, would reaffirm America's ability to defend itself without sacrificing constitutional principles, and would above all temper the demands of justice with the wisdom of mercy.

"One further word about the so-called Jewish aspects of the Rosenberg case. Despite the efforts of friendly and hostile groups to inject them, they are basically fictitious and irrelevant. I state this, knowing that anti-Semites have perverted the case -- as they pervert all things -- to their foul uses, and knowing that groups sympathetic to the Rosenbergs have sought to engage opinion in their behalf because they are Jews.

"In reality the racial and religious issue plays no essential role one way or another. Whatever else it may be, this is no Dreyfuss Affair. Its just and humane solution must be sought and found not on Jewish or anti-Jewish grounds, but on the merits themselves.

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New York Committee for Clemency

for the Rosenbergs

1050 Sixth Avenue • New York 18, N. Y.
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Chairman
PROF. EPHRAIM CROSS

Executive Secretary
EMILY ALMAN

Dear Friend:

It is late -- BUT NOT TOO LATE -- to save the lives of the Rosenbergs who are scheduled to die on June 18th, the day of their fourteenth wedding anniversary. THEIR time is growing short, but you still have precious time to do something to save two lives.

All legal processes are not exhausted. New evidence keeps pouring in. Help them in the name of humanity and human conscience to present this evidence while they still live.

POPE PIUS XII has asked mercy for these parents of two sons. PROFESSOR MALCOLM SHARP of the University of Chicago Law School declares the Pope's mercy plea "has reinforced the criticism made by many Americans of the severity of the sentence" and declares the new evidence now available "shakes the confidence" in the guilty verdict. PROFESSOR ALBERT EINSTEIN, asks mercy and joins DR. HAROLD UREY, Nobel Prize winner and foremost atomic authority, in casting doubt on some of the evidence that convicted the Rosenbergs.

TWENTY-THREE HUNDRED PROTESTANT CLERGYMEN and countless RABBIS ask mercy, and thousands of their fellow Americans from coast to coast have appealed to President Eisenhower for clemency.

FIVE MINUTES OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES---

WIRE -- WRITE -- AT ONCE -- TODAY -- to President EISENHOWER. Ask him for CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS.

ONE HOUR OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES ---

Attend the CLEMENCY RALLY at UNION SQUARE on THURSDAY, June 11th at 5 P.M. Attend this great demonstration for LIFE and MERCY.

ONE DAY OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES ---

Join the CLEMENCY TRAIN to Washington on SUNDAY, JUNE 14th. Let President Eisenhower know that the people will support a humanitarian decision. Train leaves Liberty St. ferry at 8:15 a.m. (daylight time), and from B & O Railroad, Jersey City, at 8:30 a.m. - Reservation blank attached. - your ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL.

You are important to this case. YOUR clock marks only the passing of everyday tasks and pleasures. THEIR life is running out.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO SAC
FROM SA E. K. DEANE

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ROSENBERGS ASSERT INNOCENCE IN BOOK OF LETTERS PUBLISHED TODAY

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 11, 1953 -- "Legally, judicially, morally and in simple truth, we are completely innocent," says Julius Rosenberg in one of the letters included in "DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG," a book off the press today.

"Justice demands that we live to have our day in court to win complete vindication. The human conscience and our country's honor demand this."

"DEATH HOUSE LETTERS" was published by the Jewish Publishing Co., New York City, and is being distributed throughout the country by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

Profits from the book will go into a trust fund for Michael and Robbie Rosenberg, the couple's two children who have written to President Eisenhower to spare their mother and father, who are scheduled to die on June 18, their 14th wedding anniversary.

The letters include the young parents' correspondence with each other, their lawyer, their children, and their family. The book sells for \$1 in a paper cover edition.

European publishing houses are bringing the book out in several languages abroad, and Figaro, leading Paris newspaper, has bought the serial rights in France.

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"We Are Innocent"

SAY ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG

They are told, "Talk and you can live." But only days of death, they swear they are innocent. Against their word is the word of proven perjurers!

PERJURY! Newly-discovered documents — in the handwriting of chief prosecution witness Greenglass — prove Greenglass lied when he swore in court that Julius Rosenberg sent spy Gold to him. "I didn't know who sent Gold to me," Greenglass admits.

My husband is "an hysteric" who would "say things were so even if they were not," says Mrs. Greenglass of her husband, David, in an interview with her lawyer.

PERJURY! AN AFFIDAVIT from a staff member of R. H. Macy's department store proves Greenglass lied when he claimed the Rosenbergs got an expensive console table from the Russians. The affidavit proves the table was an inexpensive one bought at Macy's, as the Rosenbergs had testified.

AN AFFIDAVIT from FBI agent John Harrington reveals a major witness lied on the stand in testifying the Rosenbergs.

PERJURY! Witness Max Elitcher faced a perjury indictment for swearing falsely to the government and admitted he hoped to make things easier for himself by his testimony against the Rosenbergs.

Even as you read this, new evidence of perjury is being uncovered.

Don't let them die on perjured testimony. See that the FULL TRUTH comes to light NOW ... NOT AFTER THEY ARE ELECTROCUTED!

WRITE—WIRE PRESIDENT EISENHOWER:

CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS

CLEMENCY RALLY

THURSDAY, June 11th, Union Square, 5 P. M.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : SA Anthony McConnell

SUBJECT: McNamee Subject
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DATE: 6/10/53

Wilfred A. Waltemode, Assistant District Attorney Bronx County, New York, advised that he had received this "Communist" literature in the mail. He desired that the New York office make a record that he had not authorized the use of his name on any mailing list for the purpose of such literature distribution. The booklet was mailed to him on 5/29/53 at 560 Melrose Ave Bronx NY. The return address was Room #2 1050 Sixth Ave, New York City.

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6/16/53

Federal Bureau of Investigation
No 290 Broadway
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Gentlemen:

Enclosed circular handed me 6/16/53 at
35 St + 5 Ave. Thought you might like it

Yours truly
Albert D. Weber

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C. REPHAIRTEL
 TO BUREAU AND NY JUNE SIXTEEN, AND WFO AIRTEL TO PHILA. JUNE FIFTEEN
 PH-EIGHTYTWO-S ADVISED THIS DATE THAT TWO SPECIAL PA. TRAINS SCHEDULED
 LEAVE NYC NINE A. M. AND TWO P. M., DST, JUNE EIGHTEEN, STOPPING AT PH
 AT ELEVEN AM AND FOUR PM EN ROUTE TO WASH., D. C. THESE TRAINS WILL
 CARRY DELEGATES FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY RALLY, WAS., SCHEDULED JUNE
 EIGHTEEN. TRAINS SCHEDULED LEAVE WASH., FOR RETURN NY AT TWELVE
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 PLAN TO ATTEND THIS RALLY. IF SUPREME COURT REFUSES TO RECONVENE
 TO CONSIDER JUSTICE DOUGLAS- ACTION RALLY WILL BE CANCELLED. INFORMANT
 ALSO ADVISED NAT-L OFFICE INSTRUCTED PH OFFICE OF COMMITTEE THIS
 DATE TO HAVE TELEGRAMS SENT IMMEDIATELY TO CONGRESSMEN ON FLOOR OF HOUSE
 PRAISING JUSTICE DOUGLAS AND OBJECTING TO HOUSE-S INTERFERENCE WITH
 SUPREME COURT. NAT-SL OFFICE ALSO INSTRUCTED THAT PHONE CALLS BE
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FOR: IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHIEF RABBI OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH
AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF GERMAN JEWISH
COMMUNITY URGE CLEMENCY

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- The Rev. Israel Brodie, Chief Rabbi of the British Commonwealth, and Rabbi Leo Baeck, President of the Jewish Community in Germany until driven out by Hitler in 1939, and elder statesman of world Reform Jewry, have asked President Eisenhower to grant clemency to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

Rabbi Brodie, in a message to President Eisenhower given to U.S. Ambassador Winthrop Aldrich in London for transmission to Washington, appealed on humanitarian grounds.

Rabbi Baeck, former Grand President of B'nai B'rith in Germany, in a communication from England revealing his mercy plea, stated he was "horrified at the extremity of the sentence" and revealed that while he was in the United States last winter, "I approached influential people time and again in order to arouse their consciences" over the Rosenberg case.

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Join Chancellor of Hebrew University,
Professors, Writers, Scientists and
Artists in Message from Israel

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 5 -- Dr. Martin Buber, world's foremost Jewish philosopher and historian; S. Y. Agnon, one of the greats of Jewish literature, the Chancellor of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem; professors, scientists, artists and other notables have joined in a plea to President Eisenhower for clemency for the Rosenbergs, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

The group wrote:

"From Jerusalem, the Eternal City of the people of Israel, from the City of Peace, the city of vision of the prophets, we, men of science, literature and the arts appeal to you together with the foremost intellectuals throughout the world with the fervent plea that you grant amnesty to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

"We who reject the death penalty plead with you to prevent the destruction of a family, to prevent the loss of their parents to children, to act for clemency to which the whole enlightened world looks forward."

The signers: Nathan Agmon, of the Jewish National fund, writer and educator; S.Y. Agnon; Dr. Ernest Ahiba, professor of philosophy, Hebrew University; Dr. Ernest Alexander, scholar; Mrs. Paula Appenschlack, editor and member of the Jewish Agency; Mordchai Ardon Bronstein, director of the Bezalel Art School and of

the National Museum; Avigdor Ariha, novelist; Rabbi M. Benjamin, writer and philosopher; Dr. Buber.

Also, Zalmon Efros; Mrs. Paula Eichenbaum; Dr. H. Friedlander; Dr. Haim Gouri, poet and hero of the Palmach, the Israel Commando force; Dr. Simon Halkin, professor of Hebrew Literature, writer and translator of Walt Whitman; Prof. Israel Heilprin; Dr. S. Haruvi; Mrs. Shoshana Hayman, Hebrew University; Haim Hefer, writer; T. Karmi; Dr. Raphael Mahler, historian, author of the forthcoming "The Forerunners of American Zionism"; Dr. Yitzhak Mann, Jewish National Fund, author, translator of Philosophical Library; Dr. Israel Mehlman, professor of Hebrew Literature, Hebrew University; Shulamit Riftin, poet; Dr. Martin Rothenshreich, professor at the Hebrew University and contributing editor of the Hapal journal, "Molad"; Dr. Frantz Schiff; Itzhak Schoenberg, writer and translator; Dr. David Werner Senator, Chancellor of the Hebrew University; Dr. Zvi Strauss; Dr. David Sutzik, professor of botany; Dr. Samuel Alexander Shtzupak, jurist; Yehoshoyahu Wolfsberg, philosopher, member of Hapoel Hamizrachi, the religious labor party and its delegate to the Actions Committee of the World Zionist Organization; Zvi Zabor, director of the Tel Aviv Teachers' Seminary and member of the Jewish National Fund.

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TWENTY-FOUR HOUR CLEMENCY VIGIL
BEGINS AT WHITE HOUSE SUNDAY --
CHIEF RABBI OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH
ASKS MERCY FOR ROSENBERGS

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- The Clemency Rally for the Rosenbergs scheduled for Sunday in front of the White House in Washington, has been lengthened into a 24-hour Vigil for Mercy, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announced today.

The vigil, which will begin at 1:30 P.M., will have wide participation of persons from all over the United States. A special train which is to leave the B & O Station in Jersey City at 8:30 A.M. (Daylight time), on Sunday, will carry participants from the New England states as well as those from the New York area, and will pick up others en route to Washington.

Prayer meetings will be held late in the afternoon, led by ministers and rabbis who will accompany the clemency mission. In addition, Saturday and Sunday have been designated as Days of Prayers for the Rosenbergs in churches and synagogues throughout the New York area.

The Washington vigil will have as one theme the doubts in the Rosenberg case raised through constantly-emerging new evidence which the Rosenberg lawyers are trying to place before the courts now, and will ask President Eisenhower to extend clemency to the Rosenbergs until these and all other reasonable doubts are resolved before it is too late. The Rosenbergs are scheduled to die in Sing Sing next Thursday -- their wedding anniversary.

Another theme of the Vigil will be the unequal justice meted out to the Rosenbergs as compared with the wholesale pardoning of war criminal Nazi generals and the lighter sentences given to Axis Sally and Tokyo Rose convicted of the more heinous crime of treason.

AIR TEL

6/27/53

FBI WASH FIELD

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11:00 AM

DIRECTOR URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,

IS-C. DAYLET. PICKETING WHITE HOUSE UNDER AUSPICES

CAPTIONED COMMITTEE CONTINUES. AT 7:30 A.M. THIS DATE EIGHT

PICKETS OBSERVED BY SAS WFO. RE WFO DAYLET PM JUNE 26 LAST

CONCERNING TRAINS CHARTERED FOR TRANSPORTATION DEMONSTRATORS

FROM NEW YORK CITY JUNE 28 next. AT 10:50 AM THIS DATE

WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE, ADVISED IT IS STILL

UNKNOWN AS TO WHETHER B AND C TRAINS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN

ADDITION TO THE PREVIOUSLY DESCRIBED FOUR PENNSYLVANIA TRAINS

WHICH WILL CARRY APPROXIMATELY 4,500 DEMONSTRATORS.

LEAFLET DISTRIBUTION CARRIED OUT GRIFFITH STADIUM NIGHT OF
JUNE 26 LAST.

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cc - (2) New York (RM)
(1) Newark (RM)
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LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,
 IS - G. DAYLET. SUBJECT COMMITTEE CONTINUED QUOTE PRAYER
 VIGIL UNQUOTE BEFORE FEDERAL BUILDING YESTERDAY; HOWEVER,

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT IN VIEW OF STAY OF
 EXECUTION GRANTED TODAY THE VIGIL IS BEING CALLED OFF.
 INFORMANT ADVISED THAT ALL OTHER ACTIVITY ALSO BEING HELD
 IN ABEYANCE BY LOCAL COMMITTEE PENDING RECEIPT OF INSTRUCTIONS
 FROM NATIONAL OFFICE IN NEW YORK.

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SOURCE: [REDACTED] to SA ROMNEY STEWART, June 17, 1953

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,
 IS-C. DAYLET. PICKETING WHITE HOUSE DISCONTINUED APPROXIMATELY
 12 NOON THIS DATE. AT 3:50 PM THIS DATE [REDACTED] WASHINGTON
 TERMINAL POLICE, ADVISED HE HAD JUST RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM
 PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD POLICE, PHILADELPHIA, WHO HAD IN TURN
 SECURED INFORMATION FROM TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT, PENNSYLVANIA RR,
 TO EFFECT THAT AFTER COMMITTEE CANCELLED ORIGINAL PLANS FOR
 USE OF FOUR TRAINS JUNE 28, 1953, THEY REINSTITUTED TENTATIVE
 NEGOTIATIONS FOR CHARTERING TWO TRAINS TO LEAVE NEW YORK,
 1:00 AND 2:05 PM EDST JUNE 28. ARRANGEMENTS ARE ONLY TENTATIVE
 AND WFO IS MAINTAINING CLOSE LIAISON TO LEARN OF MORE DEFINITE
 ARRANGEMENTS. METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT AND SECRET
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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C. [REDACTED] 37d
HAS ADVISED INDIVIDUALS BEING SENT OUT FROM NEW YORK CITY TO INDUSTRIAL
CENTERS THROUGHOUT COUNTRY TO RAISE FUNDS AND AROUSE SYMPATHY FOR
ROSENBERGS. INFORMANT STATES MRS. ^{MORTON} MARSH SOBELL, WIFE OF CONVICTED
SUBJECT ROSENBERG CASE, PRESENTLY IN GARY, INDIANA, THIS PURPOSE [REDACTED]

INFORMANT ALSO ADVISES UNIDENTIFIED MAN, NAME UNKNOWN BUT HUSBAND OF
SISTER OF MRS. SOBELL AND WRITER FOR DAILY WORKER AND VARIOUS JEWISH
NEWSPAPERS IN NEW YORK CITY, PRESENTLY IN SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, FOR SAME
PURPOSE [REDACTED] 37d

surveillances not contemplated each. INFORMANT WILL ATTEMPT OBTAIN
FURTHER INFORMATION RE ACTIVITIES.

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NEW YORK (REGISTERED MAIL)

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C, DAYLET.

PH-82-S ADVISED 6/16/53 THAT THE PHILA. CHAPTER OF THE ABOVE CAPTIONED

COMMITTEE PLANS A MASS DISTRIBUTION OF ROSENBERG LITERATURE IN DOWNTOWN

PHILA. DURING SHOPPING HOURS EVENING 6/17/53.

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE. IS-C. DAYLEY
INFORMANTS [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] HAVE TODAY REPORTED, AS A RESULT
STATEMENT RELEASED BY SUPREME COURT JUSTICE DOUGLAS, THE MASS PILGRIMAGE TO
WASHINGTON, D.C. SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1953, WILL NO DOUBT BE
CANCELLED. NO OFFICIAL WORD REGARDING TRIP HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN NJ AS YET.
THERE IS ALSO INDICATION THAT CLEMENCY DEMONSTRATION AND PRAYER MEETING
SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1953, AT NEWARK CITY HALL WILL BE
CANCELLED. RELATION IN NJ CP CIRCLES DAMPENED BY NEWS REPORTS OF ACTION
TAKEN BY ATTORNEY GENERAL. OBSERVATION OF UNIDENTIFIED INDIVIDUAL AT OFFICE
OF DISTRICT 4, NE, NEWARK, RE "UNPRECEDENTED GOVERNMENTAL INTERFERENCE
WITH THE SUPREME COURT" MAY BE CUE TO PLANNED ACTION RE SCHEDULED CLEMENCY
RALLIES. THESE RALLIES MAY BE HELD AS PROTEST MEETINGS AGAINST ACTION OF
ATTORNEY GENERAL.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: June 17, 1953

FROM: SA E. K. DEANE

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SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

CSNY 48, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office information concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from the building located at 23 West 26 Street, New York City. This building is occupied by the American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born, Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee and Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, all of which have been declared by the Attorney General of the United States to fall within the purview of Executive Order 9835. In addition, other Communist Party front groups and individual Communist Party members or sympathizers occupy offices at this address. Prior to 2/1/53 the State and National Offices of the Civil Rights Congress were located at this address. Subsequent to that date space in the building has been occupied by SRT Publications, Inc., publishers of "New World Review" formerly known as "Soviet Russia Today" which has been cited as a Communist front by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, 6/25/42 and 3/29/44.

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**NEW DOCUMENTS REVEAL PROSECUTION COMPLICITY IN PERJURY
IN ROSENBERG CASE.** —

**UPHOLD ROSENBERG CHARGE THAT GREENGLASS STOLE URANIUM
FROM LOS ALAMOS.** —

**PROVE PROSECUTION SOUGHT INFLAMMATORY PRESS STORIES
BEFORE TRIAL.** —

NEW YORK, June 4 — New documents proving that the previous administration's prosecution was guilty of the "encouragement, shielding and commission of perjury" in the Rosenberg case were made public at a press conference today by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. The committee is sending the new ~~written~~ written to President Eisenhower and the Attorney General's office.

The documents, taken together with documents previously revealed, disclosed that:

1. A deal was made between the prosecution and David and Ruth Greenglass in exchange for perjured testimony.
2. The prosecution itself committed perjury in connection with the Rosenberg Case.
3. The prosecution engaged in a "most serious violation of legal and ethical standards by the calculated obtaining of inflammatory pre-trial publicity against Ethel and Julius Rosenberg."
4. ~~The Rosenbergs were telling the truth when they~~ charged that David Greenglass was engaged in uranium theft from Los Alamos. This fact tends to confirm the Rosenbergs' contention that Greenglass was in trouble over this theft and threatened to "get even" because the Rosenbergs couldn't help him.

Two of the documents were sent to the committee, along with the documents previously made public, at Randall's Island on May 3rd, by the French Rosenberg Committee.

The document is an affidavit by Bernard Greenglass, the brother of David Greenglass and of Ethel Rosenberg. Prompted by the desire to tell the truth in the face of

his sister's sentence, Bernard Greenglass came forth only a few days ago with an affidavit revealing his brother's theft of uranium.

The final document is a sworn prosecution affidavit in the Perle case.

In releasing the material to the press, the committee issued the appended explanation and analysis of the documents.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case now makes public four documents in addition to two which it had previously released to the press and the public.

Whereas the earlier documents point to perjury by the Greenglasses, the new documents point to the encouragement, shielding, and commission of perjury by the previous administration's prosecution itself, as well as a most serious violation of legal and ethical standards in respect to the calculated obtaining of inflammatory pre-trial publicity against Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

One of the new documents is a sworn affidavit by Bernard Greenglass, brother of David Greenglass, confirming the Rosenbergs' contention that David Greenglass was engaged in uranium theft from the ice storage atom bomb project and tending to uphold their testimony that it was because he had gotten into trouble over this that Greenglass solicited their aid and threatened "to get even" if it was not forthcoming.

The second and third of these four documents came from the French Rosenberg Committee, as did those now public, and reveal a "deal" between the prosecution and the Greenglasses in which the couple were both to gain immunity to prosecution in exchange for their perjured testimony.

The fourth of these documents is a sworn prosecution affidavit in the Perle case.

The committee had hoped that the previously revealed perjury committed by David Greenglass would result in an initiative by the Attorney General's Office for further exploration, and that the prosecution, mindful of its obligations to get at the truth at all costs, would itself ask for a stay of execution.

Regrettably, the prosecution, for inexplicable reasons, has ignored the evidence of Greenglass' perjury and has urged the utmost haste in respect to the execution of the Rosenbergs.

1. Bernard Greenglass' affidavit: Re Greenglass' Uranium Theft, Concealed by Prosecution.

During his testimony, Julius Rosenberg said that in the Spring of

1945 Ruth Greenglass had told him that her husband was in trouble.

"A. Ruthie told me something to this effect: 'Julius, I am terribly worried. David has an idea to make some money and take some things from the Army'; and I told her, 'Warn David not to do anything foolish. He will only get himself in trouble. I have read some accounts in the newspapers about some GI's doing foolish things and taking parts and gasoline from the Army, and their getting themselves in trouble,' and I told her, 'Don't tell—make sure to tell him that he doesn't do anything of the sort.'"

p. 1089 printed trial transcript

"Q. You didn't attempt to ascertain from any other source or have anybody else like your wife talk to her brother to find out what was wrong?

"A. Well, that night when I came home and told my wife about the incident and my wife told me, 'What is the matter? Is Ruthie nagging Dave again for money?'

I said, 'No, it doesn't seem to be that. He must be in some trouble. I don't know what it is.'

And I recall at that time in my mind the incident — the instant he told me what had happened to him in February when the FBI had come around to visit him and question him about some uranium.

p. 1120, 1120 printed trial transcript

David Greenglass evaded this point, but Bernard Greenglass, his brother, in a sworn affidavit (May 31, 1953) states: "Some time in the year 1946 my brother David told me he had taken a sample of uranium from Los Alamos without permission of the authorities."

The prosecution was certainly aware of this fact, but remained silent.

This bears out the Rosenberg testimony that Greenglass came to them because he was in trouble over uranium theft and threatened to "get even" if the Rosenbergs did not assist him.

2. Document dated "8/21/50" marked "From RHG to DJR" and document dated "8/23/50, marked "From RHG to File." Re: Prosecution Greenglass "Deal".

David Greenglass testified:

Q. Do you believe that by giving testimony in this case that you will be helped in terms of the severity of this sentence to be imposed upon you by the Court?

A. The Court— it is entirely within the discretion of the Court to give sentence, and whatever is just — it depends on the Court and on nothing else by the Court.

Q. How I would be — I would ask you to be good enough to answer my question. Do you believe the court will be easier on you—

Mr. Cohn: Your Honor, I object.

Q.— the way you did?

Mr. Cohn: I object to the question as to form, the witness's belief.

Mr. Cohn: I believe that what he is trying to get at is a motive for his testimony.

Mr. Cohn: Yes, I have no objection to a proper question.

The Court: So I will permit him to ask the question.

A. I don't believe that I in testifying will help myself (fol. 868) to that great an extent.

Q. Would you say to any extent?

A. To any extent.

Q. All right. Do you believe that by testifying here is that that you will help your wife?

A. I don't know what the government had in mind for my wife and I can't answer for them.

Q. You know, of course, that so far nothing has happened to your wife in terms of any criminal proceeding—

The Court: That has been answered.

Mr. Cohn: It has been answered.

Q. — or brought against her?

The Court: You don't have to answer that.

Mr. E. H. Bloch: I respectfully except.

— pages 607, 608 of printed trial transcript

Excerpts from above-mentioned two documents:

David Greenglass was not even to be brought to trial.

"I spoke to Ruth Greenglass this morning. She is feeling better and so is Dave apparently about the fact that we were not named as defendants." (8/21/50).

Promise of a suspended sentence even if brought to trial

"But the thing that impressed her most however was that I told her that you were in friendly terms with Bennett, Director of Prisons. This impressed her because she feels that Dave may not get a suspended sentence and is worried about the kind of treatment he will get. (8/21/50)

David Greenglass is named as a defendant to conceal "deal"

"He (Oyles Lane, Assistant U.S. Attorney) told us that Bloch had earlier in the day argued to the judge at the arraignment of his clients that they were absolutely innocent and that from the fact that Greenglass was not indicted but merely named as a co-conspirator in the New York indictment, it looked to Bloch as if the government had made a deal with you as Greenglass' attorney. Lane felt that

A true bill was voted and the indictment handed down within a week of this admission."

An affidavit submitted to the court by Myles J. Lane, U.S. Attorney, stated:

"The Perl indictment was obtained within a week after Perl had admitted he had not been truthful to the grand jury."

At Perl's trial, the prosecution obtained no corroboration of the Rosenbergs' alleged espionage, and let slip that its previous affidavits were false, as follows:

"Recross examination by Mr. MacMahon:

"Q. In March of 1951 you were given another chance to tell the truth and you still lied? (From the record of the Perl trial)

(The form of the question was objected to, objection was sustained, and Mr. MacMahon said he had no further questions).

Earlier Perl made these unchallenged statements, which again contradict the affidavits:

"A. Yes, I remember some general remarks by--well, various FBI agents but mainly Mr. Roy Cohn informed me that--well, that if I did not confess I would be indicted."

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Text of affidavit Bernard Greenglass, May 31, 1953

State of New York
County of New York, S.S.

My name is Bernard Greenglass. I live at 64 Sheriff st, New York, N.Y. I am the brother of Ethel Rosenberg and David Greenglass; Ethel is my elder sister and David is my younger brother.

Some time in the year 1946 my brother David told me he had taken a sample of uranium from Los Alamos without permission of the authorities. He told me this at his then home 265 Rivington street New York, N.Y. I do not remember whether Ruth, David's wife was present at that time.

Sometime later, and I don't remember whether it was a year or more later or sometime before David's arrest in June 1950, David told me that he had thrown this uranium into the East River.

About a month ago, on a Friday night David Rosenberg, Julius Rosenberg's brother came to my home to discuss the case of Ethel and Julius. There was also present Ruth Greenglass, and my mother Tessie Greenglass. The subject of uranium came up: I told Dave Rosenberg the same story that I am stating here.

Ruth, David's wife said " David took a sample of Uranium but he threw it into the East River."

I told this same story about the uranium to my sister Ethel during my visit to her about a month and one half ago on a Saturday at the Sing Sing death house.

I also told the same story to Rabbi Koslowe at his home in Mamaroneck, N.Y. in the presence of David Rosenberg on the evening of May 25, 1953

I have voluntarily related this story again to Emanuel H. Block at his office at 401 Broadway New York, N.Y. on this 31st day of May 1953.

The above is true sworn to before me this 31 day of May 1953

Bernard Greenglass

Glória Agrin

Notary Public State of N.Y.

Exp. Exp. March 30, 1954

we would not have to consider the question of whether it was OK that Greenglass be indicted here in a superfluous indictment and not merely named as a co-conspirator. How would he be a defendant and be tried here in New York but would testify against the others." (8/23/50)
Protection for Greenglass Against "Stiff" Sentence

"Lane pointed out that he thought it was obviously advantageous for both sides for the matter to be decided in New York... But Lane said that something should be done on this before September 6th and reiterated again it was to our advantage not to take any chance of getting before a judge in New Mexico, --clearly indicating that he felt that in a small state like New Mexico they might well prefer to give a good stiff sentence..." (8/23/50).

PROSECUTION GUILTY OF COMPLICITY IN OBTAINING
INFLAMMATORY PRE-TRIAL STORIES AGAINST THE ROSENBERGS

A handwritten note on the second page of the document dated 8/23/50 states:

"I had lunch with Ruth, Pilat, and HJF. He looked at Pilat's articles. They look O.K., but HJF as a precaution told Lane previously he would insist Pilat, who already had two conferences with Sappol, show the draft of the articles to Sappol or Lane." (8/23/50).

(Note: "Pilat" presumably refers to Oliver Pilat, a reporter for the New York Post. The mention of Mr. Pilat's name in this document can in no way be interpreted as reflecting on his integrity. The misconduct of the prosecution does not reflect on the conduct of a journalist.)

(The initials "HJF" are presumably those of Herbert J. Fabricant. The initials "HG" are presumably those of Herbert H. Goldman. The initials "DF" are presumably those of Dr. John Edgar Hoover, all are members of the firm that represented David and Ethel Greenglass.)

8. PROSECUTION SUPPLIES PERJURED WITNESSES

Defense counsel charged that the prosecution acted in bad faith in bringing William Forl to trial and that he would corroborate Greenglass' testimony that the scientists were spies.

The prosecution countered that it had released the news at that time because it had just then obtained a "confession" from William Forl.

An affidavit submitted to the court by John H. Foley, an assistant U. S. Attorney, stated:

"On March 5, 1951, at approximately 2:15 P.M., William Forl, in the presence of his attorney, Mr. Raymond [redacted] in the presence of several Assistant United States Attorneys and two Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, stated that he had lied to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Grand Jury in that he had minimized his associations with Morton Sobell and other persons.

M E M O

8/23/50

FROM: RHG
TO: FILE

Re: Greenglass

Lane, the Assistant U.S. Attorney, called me at 1:00 o'clock and told me that something important had come up with respect to New Mexico and would I and/or Fabricant see him this afternoon. I told him that I could and HJF would come with me.

Lane wanted to know when QJR would return and I told him that we had expected him and in fact were trying to ascertain exactly when he would return. HJF and I went over to see Lane at 4:00 o'clock. He told us that Bloch had earlier in the day argued to the judge at the arraignment of his clients that they were absolutely innocent and that from the fact that Greenglass was not indicted but merely named as a co-conspirator in the New York indictment, it looked to Bloch as if the government had made a deal with you as Greenglass' attorney. Lane felt that we would now have to consider the question of whether it was OK that Greenglass be indicted here in a superceding indictment and not merely named as a co-conspirator. He would then be a defendant and be tried here in New York but would testify against the others. (HANDWRITTEN: See also the Newspaper clipping)

The New Mexico District Attorney, acting on instructions from the Attorney General's office, with whom Lane had been in touch, would agree to such a procedure. Lane pointed out that he thought it was obviously advantageous for both sides for the matter to be decided in New York. HJF told Lane that if there was no hurry ~~we would not want to give a definite commitment but that it would seem that such an arrangement would probably be approved by QJR.~~

I thought at least that I should make a purely off the record inquiry as to whether Dave would not testify as a co-conspirator in New York but not as a defendant and that the question of his plea be postponed. But Lane said that something should be done on this before September 6th and reiterated again it was to our advantage not to take any chance of getting before a judge in New Mexico, clearly indicating that he felt that in a small state like New Mexico they might well prefer to give a good stiff sentence (of course he added he did not want to sell us on anything, and so forth).

There was no indication that Ruth is to be indicted and neither Herb nor I wanted to raise the point. I had the inference that they were not planning to indict her but I could be wrong and I didn't even want to ask the question, though you may desire to do so.

Lane also informed us that he believed they found nothing on the bag in the way of fingerprints.

There was some discussion between HJF and Lane on the question of Sobell but Lane did not know what Sobell planned to do.

I think it best not to discuss this with Ruth until you return as she might get somewhat excited about it and at any rate we don't have to do anything before September 6th.

(HANDWRITTEN): Friday

We learned today that Lane thinks Dave should agree to a plea in N.Y. on the New Mexico indictment; the New Mexico papers would all be sent here and then there would be the N.Y. indictment.

Also I had lunch with Ruth, Pilot and HJF. We looked at Pilot's articles. They look OK, but HJF as a precaution, told Lane previously he would insist Pilot, who already had 2 Conferences with Baypol, showed the draft of the articles to Baypol or Lane.

TEXT OF MEMORANDUM DATED 8/21/50 MARKED TO: OJR FROM: RHG

M E M O

TO: OJR

8/21/50

FROM: RHG

RE: GREENGLASS

I spoke to Ruth Greenglass this morning. She is feeling better and so is Dave apparently about the fact that they were not named as defendants. From Helen I learned that she may have been a little upset about it originally but now she feels the thing is moving smoothly.

However, Dave is worried about something else which I was able to reassure him through Ruth. Some of his cellmates in the Tombs have been telling him horror stories about the treatment he will get. I told her that we were happy to say that few of our clients went to jail but those who did had never had such a complaint. I further assured her that Saypol would not permit any mistreatment. But the thing that impressed her most however was that I told her that you were on friendly terms with Bennett, Director of Prisons. This impressed her because she feels that Dave may not get a suspended sentence and is worried about the kind of treatment he will get. I assured her that if he does go to jail for a period of time that you would certainly not hesitate to speak to Bennett and to make sure that Dave got good and fair treatment.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: June 17, 1953

TO : SAC
FROM : SA D. W. FITCHER
SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Information set out below concerning the captioned matter was furnished to SA D. W. FITCHER AND SA K. F. BUCKLEY on 6-10-53 by CSNY 419 who had legal custody of same. serial

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New York Committee for Clemency
for the Rosenbergs

1050 Sixth Avenue • New York 18, N. Y.

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Chairman
PROF. EPHRAIM CROSS

Executive Secretary
EMILY ALMAN

June 4th, 1953

Dear Friend:

It is late -- BUT NOT TOO LATE -- to save the lives of the Rosenbergs who are scheduled to die on June 16, the day of their fourteenth wedding anniversary. THEIR time is growing short, but you still have precious time to do something to save two lives.

All legal processes are not exhausted. New evidence keeps pouring in. Help them in the name of humanity and human conscience to present this evidence while they still live.

Pope Pius XII has asked mercy for these parents of two sons. Prof. Malcolm Sharp of the University of Chicago Law School declares the Pope's mercy plea "has reinforced the criticism made by many Americans of the severity of the sentence" and declares the new evidence now available "shakes the confidence" in the guilty verdict. Prof. Albert Einstein asks mercy and joins Dr. Harold Urey, Nobel Prize winner and foremost atomic authority, in casting doubt on some of the evidence that convicted the Rosenbergs. Twenty-three hundred Protestant Clergymen and countless Rabbis ask mercy and Americans from coast to coast have appealed to President Eisenhower for clemency.

FIVE MINUTES OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES --

WIRE -- WRITE -- AT ONCE -- NOW -- TODAY -- to
President Eisenhower. Ask him for CLEMENCY FOR
THE ROSENBERGS.

ONE HOUR OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES --

Attend the CLEMENCY RALLY at Union Square on
Thursday, June 11, at 5 p.m. Attend this great
demonstration for LIFE and MERCY.

ONE DAY OF YOUR TIME
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES --

Join the CLEMENCY TRAIN to Washington on SUNDAY,
JUNE 14. Let President Eisenhower know that
people urge him to save these lives. Train
leaves Liberty St. ferry at 8:15, a.m. daylight
time, and from B & O Station, Jersey City, at

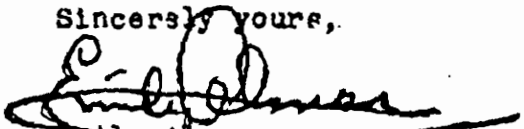
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8:30 a.m. Reservation blank attached -- your
ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL.

We appeal to your own love of life and of justice ... in the
name of humanity ... to do everything to help save Ethel and
Julius Rosenberg.

Sincerely yours,



Emily Altman
Executive Secretary

ROSENBERG CLEMENCY TRAIN

(Make reservation to insure seats..... Train stops at
Elizabeth, New Jersey)

I would like to make advance reservation (s) _____
on the Washington Clemency Train on Sunday, June 14,
8:30 a.m., B & O Railroad (Jersey side).

Individual Rate: \$12 Round Trip
SPECIAL FAMILY TICKET: \$25 (Includes parents
and one child under 12. \$ 2 for each additional
child).

ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND ↓ _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
1050 Sixth Avenue, New York 18, N.Y., Longacre 4-9585

Rec'd. 6-10-53

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: June 17, 1953

FROM: SA E. K. DEARE

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SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
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CSNY 48, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office information concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from the building located at 23 West 26 Street, New York City. This building is occupied by the American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born, Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee and Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, all of which have been declared by the Attorney General of the United States to fall within the purview of Executive Order 9835. In addition, other Communist Party front groups and individual Communist Party members or sympathizers occupy offices at this address. Prior to 2/1/53 the State and National Offices of the Civil Rights Congress were located at this address. Subsequent to that date space in the building has been occupied by SMT Publications, Inc., publishers of "New World Review" formerly known as "Soviet Russia Today" which has been cited as a Communist Front by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, 6/25/42 and 3/29/44.

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TIME IS SHORT

BUT

WE CAN SAVE THEM!!!

Rosenberg Clemency Train TO WASHINGTON

SUNDAY ~ JUNE 14

Join people from throughout the country!

DIRECTIONS:

The Ferry to the Clemency Train leaves Liberty St., N.Y.C., on Sunday, June 14, at 8:15 A.M. (Daylight Time) - and the train from B & O Railroad Station leaves Jersey City at 8:30 A.M.

ADVANCE RESERVATIONS SHOULD BE MADE AND PAID FOR AT ONCE IN ORDER TO ASSURE ADEQUATE ACCOMODATIONS. The committee itself has to pay in advance, which involves tying up thousands of dollars in ticket money -- funds badly needed NOW to reach the public on the Rosenberg Case. Every sale you make permits us to buy another ticket.

Tickets are available at the Rosenberg Committee office -- 1050 Sixth Avenue, from 8 A.M. to Midnight daily -- \$12 round-trip. Special family rate.

Whether you go by train, car or bus, we have no rallying point other than the WHITE HOUSE. Proceed directly to the White House and be ready to march promptly at 1 P.M.

DON'T DELEGATE YOUR CONSCIENCE TO SOMEONE ELSE!

ONLY YOU CAN REPRESENT YOU!

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

DATE: 6/17/53

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (100-37667)

SUBJECT: COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE
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On 5/18/53, [redacted] of known reliability, furnished
SAs HARRY C. BELK and ALBERT E. FALLER with a leaflet captioned
"All Faiths Ask Clemency for the ROSENBERGS" issued by the
National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case,
1050 Sixth Avenue, New York 18, N. Y.

The above item is being forwarded to the New York Office
for its interest.

REF:PKR
ENCL. 1
REGISTERED MAIL
cc: [redacted]

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The
**Whitehall Cement Manufacturing
Company**

123 SOUTH BROAD STREET
PHILADELPHIA 9, PA.

New York Sales Office
11 West 42nd Street
New York 36, N. Y.
Tel. Longacre 4-4660

June 17th, 1953

Federal Bureau of Investigation
290 Broadway
New York City

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a circular that has been distributed in
Bayside, New York.

Yours very truly,

Edwin J. Soldwedel
Edwin J. Soldwedel

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JFK*

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C-
 SOURCE AT PRR STATION, NYC, ADVISES CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS CHAR-
 TERED SIXTEEN CAR TRAIN LEAVING NYC EIGHT ZERO FIVE AM, STANDARD
 TIME, JUNE EIGHTEEN INST., AND ARRIVING WASH., DC TWELVE NOON, STAND-
 ARD TIME. TRAIN STOPS AT NEWARK AT EIGHT TWENTY AND THIRTY ST.,
 PHILA., AT NINE FORTYFOUR. COMMITTEE ORIGINALLY WANTED TWO TRAINS
 FOR MORNING OF EIGHTEEN INST BUT HAVE NOW DECIDED ON ONLY ONE FOR
 MORNING AND POSSIBLY ONE LEAVING NYC ONE ZERO FIVE PM STANDARD
 TIME. TOTAL NUMBER PERSONS MAKING TRIP IS UNKNOWN.

BOARDMAN

JND-AJM

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Approved: LVB [Signature]
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

June 18, 1953

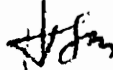
Mr. Albert P. Weber
Stokes-Weber Co.
526 West 112th Street
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Weber:

I wish to thank you for again communicating with this office.

The enclosures contained with your letter of June 16, 1953 have been carefully noted and I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to you for making this information available.

Very truly yours,



LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NY

DATE: 6/18/53

FROM : DAVON W. PITCHER, SA (100-107111)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
IS-C

On [redacted] (Use T), Panel Source, telephonically advised re that on [redacted]

[redacted] had telephonically solicited [redacted] to "go to Washington on Sunday and help save two people's lives." She did not identify the ROSENBERGS by name and, in fact, merely repeated the quoted statement when asked who was involved. b7d

On the same date, [redacted] (Use T), potential Panel Source, similarly advised that [redacted] was [redacted]

[redacted] that evening soliciting persons to go to Washington on the Crenancy Train for the ROSENBERGS on Sunday. b7d

- 1-NY [redacted] b2d
- 1-NY [redacted]
- 1-NY [redacted]

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JUN 21 1953

[Handwritten Signature]

DWP:CLB

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TO • SAC, NY

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- PROPERTY UNIT

SUBJECT: National Committee To Secure Justice
In The Rosenberg Case
Esp-R

Sect 4 telephonically advised writer on inst. that from a conf. between the committee & Ed Wallerstein it was ascertained that there is to be a mtg. tonight 9:00 pm corner Norfolk & Delancey Sts. It was also ascertained that the spec. train which went to Wash. today will leave Wash. tonight at 12 mid.

[redacted] advised this evening that if the Supreme Court reverse Justice Douglas tomorrow there will be another public meeting at 9:00 PM in Union Sq. on 19th.

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TO : SAC

FROM : SA J. J. FEEHELEY

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DATE: June 18, 1953

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Organizational Secretary

1050 SIXTH AV.
NEW YORK 18,
LONG ISLAND CITY 4-9585

CAPTION

FOR RELEASE: THURSDAY, JUNE 11

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Michael Rosenberg, 10 (right) and his six-year-old brother Robbie have received the first copy of the book, "DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG", off the press today (Thursday, June 11). Profits from the book, consisting of letters written by their parents, will go into a trust fund for the youngsters. The book, published by the Jero Publishing Co., of N.Y.C., is being distributed by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. Leading publishers in Europe are planning to print translations.

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THE ELECTRIC CHAIR CAN'T KILL THE DOUBTS IN THE ROSENBERG CASE

- Two sensational documents just revealed show that Ethel and Julius Rosenberg were sent to the Death House on the word of a liar.
- One document is written by David Greenglass, chief witness against the Rosenbergs. Greenglass, in handwriting verified as his own by one of the nation's leading experts, flatly contradicts his own testimony at the trial and admits he lied to the FBI. Here are examples:

In court Greenglass swore that confessed spy Harry Gold was sent to him by Julius Rosenberg. In the document Greenglass admits he doesn't know who sent Gold to him.

Greenglass told the FBI he gave Gold vital atomic secrets. But in the document describing his statement made to the FBI he confesses: "I can honestly say the information I gave Gold may be not at all what I said in the statement."

- A second document, a lawyer's memorandum based on an interview with Ruth Greenglass, the wife of David, reports her description of her husband as follows:

"As to her husband, she stated that he had a 'tendency to hysteria'. At other times he would become delirious and once when he had the grippe he ran through the hallway, shrieking of 'elephants,' 'Lead Pants'.

"She had known him since she was ten years old. She said that he would say things were so even if they were not. He talked of suicide as if he were a character in the movies but she didn't think he would do it."

**THIS IS THE MAN ON WHOSE WORD THE ROSENBERGS ARE TO DIE.
DON'T LET THEM DIE ON THE WORD OF A LIAR.**

Write and Wire President Eisenhower:

CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS

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FROM:

REVEREND JAMES A. POLITE
951 STEBBINS AVENUE
BRONX 59, NEW YORK

NEW YORK — The following is the text of a letter asking
clemency for the Rosenbergs sent to President Eisenhower on June 3
by the Reverend James A. Polite of the Thessalonian Baptist Church:

"Enclosed you will find forty-two individual letters from Rabbi
and Ministers of the clergy, of all denominations, (residing in Bro
N.Y.) addressed to your honorable attention.

"The signatories of these letters, without reference to the gu
or innocence of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, appeal to you in the
spirit of their calling for mercy and justice for these people.

"It is, in my mind, a sign of the inestimable wisdom of our
American people, that the final power to grant mercy in cases of
this kind resides not in the courts alone, nor in the press, both
which may be influenced by prevailing hysteria, but in the President
of the United States.

"We therefore humbly submit our petition for mercy to you, Mr.
President, and hope that you will grant clemency to these unhappy
people.

"Respectfully yours, Reverend James A. Polite".

— The following is the letter signed by the Ministers and Rabbi
and sent to President Eisenhower:

"I am writing you at this time on a matter of serious moment.
The case I have reference to is the matter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius
and Ethel Rosenberg.

"Without reference to the guilt or innocence of these people
would like to add my plea to those of many prominent people both
this country and throughout the world who have appealed to you f
for clemency in behalf of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

"My reasons for doing this are that the unusually severe sen
is unprecedented in American history, and is in fact a very harsh
brutal sentence for the third lesser crime than treason for which
they were convicted. If clemency is not granted, then I feel th
not only will these human beings be the recipients of a grave in
justice, but also this country will suffer a serious moral blow
the eyes of the world.

"I therefore ask you Mr. President to seriously reconsider
matter and to grant clemency to Julius and Ethel Rosenberg by
their sentence."

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6/18/53

11 AM EDST

DIRECTOR AND SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,

IS-C. DAYLET. RE WFO AIRTEL TO BUREAU JUNE FIFTEEN LAST.

[REDACTED] OF KNOWN RELIABILITY, ADVISED SA RUSSELL M. GYWNNE JUNE EIGHTEEN INSTANT, [REDACTED]

INFORMANT

STATED THAT IN EVENT ROSENBERGS EXECUTED AS SCHEDULED, EFFORTS WILL BE MADE BY CRC AND OTHER PROGRESSIVE ORGANIZATIONS TO HAVE MASS DEMONSTRATION AT FUNERAL OF ROSENBERGS IN NEW YORK.

HALLFORD

END

HMG/jep
100-11247

cc: 1 - New York (REGISTERED MAIL)
1 - 100-9173

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Handwritten signatures and initials:
H. H. Harrington
J. A. Harrington

AIR TEL

Widely

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6-18-53

11:00 AM

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE.

IS - C. DAYLET. INFO RECEIVED THIS AM FROM SECRET SERVICE AND

U. S. PARK POLICE CONCERNING PLANS OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE FOR

TODAY ARE AS FOLLOWS. THE FIRST OF TWO TRAINS SCHEDULED TO

ARRV D.C. DUE TO ARRIV ONE PM EDT. PASSENGERS WILL BREAK UP

INTO SMALL GROUPS TO VISIT CONGRESSMEN ON HILL. MASS MEETING

PLANNED NINTH AND CONSTITUTION - MALL, N.Y. APPROX TWO TO THREE

PM. AT END OF MEETING ACTION WILL BE DETERMINED BASED UPON

DECISION OF SUPREME COURT MEETING AT NOON. IF ROSENBERGS ARE

TO BE EXECUTED, DEMONSTRATORS WILL FORM DEATH VIGIL WHITE HOUSE.

IF EXECUTION POSTPONED, WILL PROBABLY RETURN NY AND NO PICKETING

OF WHITE HOUSE WILL RESULT. ABOVE TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED

BUREAU EARLIER THIS DATE. MPD SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED THAT FIVE

ADDITIONAL COACHES BEING ADDED TO TRAIN AT PHILA., WHICH IS

SCHEDULED ARRIVAL D.C. ONE PM EDT. TOTAL SIZE OF TRAIN WILL

BE TWENTYONE COACHES WITH APPROX EIGHTEEN HUNDRED TO TWO

THOUSAND DEMONSTRATORS. AT NINE FORTY-FIVE AM, ACCORDING TO

[REDACTED] POLICE SUPREME COURT, THERE WERE THEN ALREADY

TWENTY-FIVE TO THIRTY IN LINE FOR SEATS IN SUPREME COURT.

GROUP CARRIED LUNCHES AND APPARENTLY PLAN TO SPEND DAY THERE.

SFP:JAM
100-25474
cc: 100-4212

J. Barrow

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JUSTICE DOUGLAS' DECISION

REC'D WITH MUCH GLEE BUT RESULTED IN CONSIDERABLE TENSION AND
CHIEF JUSTICE ^{VINSON'S} WINGENT'S LATER DECISION TO RECONVENE SUPREME
COURT REC'D WITH DISCOMFORT. NUMEROUS WASHINGTONIANS AND
OUT OF TOWNERS, MOSTLY NEW YORKERS, PRESENT. ALL D.C. PEOPLE
IDENTIFIED AS WELL KNOWN COMMUNISTS AND/OR SYMPATHIZERS. OUT
OF TOWNERS INCLUDED DON ROTHENBERG, AARON SCHEIDER, EMANUEL
BLOCH, HELEN SOBELL.] A RUMOR CIRCULATED AT INSPIRATION HOUSE WAS
TO EFFECT QUEEN OF ENGLAND HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER CONTEMPLATED
EXECUTION ROSENBERGS. [REDACTED] MADE STATEMENT TO EFFECT THAT
IF ROSENBERGS DIE THERE WILL BE RIOTS THROUGHOUT EUROPE. WORK
OF COMMITTEE ^{AT} INSPIRATION HOUSE WILL BE ORGANIZED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CONTAINED
IN MY DAYLET JUNE FOURTEEN LAST. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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INFO REC'D JUST PRIOR PREPARATION INSTANT
DAYLET FROM WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE IS TO EFFECT ANOTHER
TRAIN HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO LEAVE BY TWO THIRTY PM AND ARRIVE
D.C. SIX FORTY PM RDST VIA PENNSYLVANIA RR. SIX FIFTEEN
CARS CAPACITY 1260. THIS TRAIN INFO TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED
BUREAU. COMPLETE OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED.

HOOD

AIR TEL

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FBI, WASH FIELD

4-18-53

6:30 PM

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE IS - C.
 DAYLET. SA'S WFO OBSERVED PA. CHARTERED TRAIN ARR UNION STATION
 APPROX ONE PM THIS DATE. UPON ARRIVAL MEETING OF DEMONSTRATORS HELD
 AT UNION STATION WHEN THEY WERE FURNISHED WRITTEN INSTRUCTION SHEETS
 DIRECTING THEM TO DIVIDE INTO SMALL GROUPS OF APPROX EIGHT PERSONS
 EACH TO VISIT CONGRESSMEN ON THE HILL. THEY WERE TO HAVE CONGRESSMEN
 (1) CALL THE AG (2) CALL THE PRESIDENT AND (3) ADVISE COMMITTEE HOW
 CONGRESSMEN FELT ABOUT ROSENBERG CASE AND CLEMENCY ANGLE. CONGRESSMEN'S
 OPINIONS WERE TO BE WRITTEN ON REVERSE SIDE OF INSTRUCTION SHEET AND
 RETURN TO COMMITTEE LEADERS. THEY WERE THEN TO PROCEED NINTH AND
 CONSTITUTION, N.W. FOR MEETING APPROX TWO THIRTY TO THREE PM. INSTRUCTED
 TO DIRECT ALL INQUIRIES TO INSPIRATION HOUSE, D.C. HEADQUARTERS OF
 COMMITTEE. BEFORE LEAVING UNION STATION DEMONSTRATORS PLACED VOLUME
 OF PLACARDS ON TRUCK AND TOLD THAT THEY WOULD BE FURNISHED THESE
 PLACARDS IN EVENT OF DEMONSTRATION AT WHITE HOUSE LATER TODAY. 1919
 WERE ABOARD THE TRAIN ARR APPROX ONE PM. SECRET SERVICE ADVISED
 THAT SECOND TRAIN LEFT NYC TWO THIRTY PM DUE TO ARR D.C. APPROX
 SIX FORTY PM WITH 2540 ABOARD. ALL TIMES EDT. AT APPROX FOUR PM
 SUPREME COURT WENT INTO CONFERENCE AFTER HEARING ARGUMENTS BEFORE
 THEM. OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED AND BUREAU
 BEING TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED WITH PERTINENT INFO AS REC'D.

SFP:JAW
 100-2547
 cc: 100-4218

John H. ... 100-10711-106/HOOD

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9:30 P.M.

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,
 IS - C, DAYLET. FOLLOWING IS CHRONOLOGY OF IMPORTANT DEVELOP-
 MENTS AT WASHINGTON, D. C., SINCE SUBMISSION OF EARLIER DAYLET
 THIS DATE. AT 4:45 P.M., APPROXIMATELY 2000 DEMONSTRATORS AT
 9TH AND CONSTITUTION, N. W. ANNOUNCEMENT MADE AT 4:30 P.M.,
 TO EFFECT ANOTHER TRAIN WOULD ARRIVE 6:00 P.M., WITH ADDITIONAL
 2000 DEMONSTRATORS AND THAT ALL RETURN TRAINS BEING HELD UNTIL
 MIDNIGHT. PEOPLE ASK TO REMAIN UNTIL MIDNIGHT UNLESS ADVISED
 TO CONTRARY. 6:08 P. M., ANNOUNCEMENT MADE TO MALL GATHERING
 THAT NEW YORK TRAIN DELAYED UNTIL 6:25 P.M., AND INDIVIDUALS
 ARRIVING THERE WOULD GO DIRECTLY TO WHITE HOUSE. MALL GATHERING
 TOLD TO IMMEDIATELY GO TO WHITE HOUSE AND SET UP PICKET LINE.
 6:35 P.M.,

6:45 P.M.

ADDITIONAL 500 DEMONSTRATORS ARRIVE UNION STATION VIA PENNSYLVANIA
 RAILROAD AND IMMEDIATELY MOVED ON TO WHITE HOUSE TO AUGMENT PICKET
 LINE THERE. 6:50 P.M. LAST OF MALL GROUP DEPARTED THAT AREA FOR
 WHITE HOUSE. 7:00 P.M. WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED TOTAL
 OF APPROXIMATELY 2503 INDIVIDUALS HAD ARRIVED TODAY. THIS NUMBER

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INCLUDED TRAIN ARRIVAL AT APPROXIMATELY 1:00 P.M., AND GROUP
ARRIVING 5:45 P.M. NO OTHER GROUPS EXPECTED. MRS. AARON
SCHEIDER MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR GROUP TO DEPART FROM WASHINGTON,
D. C., ON TWO TRAINS LEAVING 12:00 MIDNIGHT AND 12:10 A. M.,
6/19/53. 7:00 P.M., PICKET LINE AT WHITE HOUSE IN TWO PARTS,
ONE EXTENDING FROM WEST EXECUTIVE DRIVE WESTWARD ON PENNSYLVANIA
AVENUE TO 17TH AND SOUTH TO STATE PLACE. OTHER GROUP PICKETING
DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF WHITE HOUSE ON PA AVE. FOUR COUNTER PICKETS
OPERATING. 7:08 P.M., [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HOUSING AND MONETARY
ARE BIGGEST PROBLEMS FACING COMMITTEE. ODD FELLOWS HALL
ENGAGED FROM 8:30 TO 11:00 P.M., AS HEADQUARTERS FOR PEOPLE
TO ASSEMBLE PRIOR TO BEING SENT TO PLACES FOR THE NIGHT.
COMMITTEE FINDING IT NECESSARY TO FURNISH FUNDS FOR MANY BEING
ENCOURAGED TO STAY OVERNIGHT. 8:40 P.M., [REDACTED]

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8:00 P.M., PICKETING OF WHITE HOUSE NOW IN THREE PARTS. ONE
GROUP DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF WHITE HOUSE ON PENNSYLVANIA AVE.
SECOND GROUP AROUND PARTS OF OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING.
THIRD GROUP SURROUNDING TREASURY BUILDING. ALL TIMES ABOVE

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EDST AND ALL OBSERVATIONS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, BY SAS WFO,
PORTIONS ABOVE FURNISHED TO BUREAU TELEPHONICALLY AS RECEIVED,
AND WFO WILL CONTINUE THIS PLAN OF COMMUNICATION WITH BUREAU,
OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON WITH OTHER AGENCIES BEING MAINTAINED.

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 NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN ROSENBERG CASE. IS - C. ISA - FIFTY. CHIEF CLERK
 HENTON JUNE EIGHTEEN. PLACARD DEMONSTRATION IN BEHALF OF ROSENBERGS
 SPONSORED BY EL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE TOOK PLACE
 BETWEEN APPROXIMATELY TWELVE TWENTY PM AND ONE FIFTEEN PM THIS DATE ON SIDE-
 WALKS ADJACENT TO FEDERAL BUILDING ON TWELFTH AND MARKET STREETS IN SL. SIX
 PERSONS PARTICIPATED IN DEMONSTRATION. PARTICIPANTS CARRIED PLACARDS ADVANCING
 THE CAUSE OF SILENCE FOR ROSENBERGS. PHOTO TAKEN.

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FIFTY. FOR BUREAU INFO, [REDACTED] RELIABLE SI SECURITY INFORMANT PERSONNEL

ADVISED NINE AM THIS DATE THE SI COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG PROPERTY

CASE [REDACTED] PLACARD DEMONSTRATION AT FEDERAL BUILDING, TWELFTH AND

MARKET, SUNDAY IN BEHALF OF ROSENBERGS ELEVEN AM THROUGH ONE PM, INSTANT.

SI WILL ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN DEMONSTRATION.

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NJ COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS. IS-C. DAYLET. ESTABLISHED
 SOURCES INDICATE THAT MANY INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH THE NJ CP PARTICIPATED
 IN A CLEMENCY MARCH IN NEWARK, NJ, ON EVENING OF JUNE 17, 1953. EVERY BODY
 CAPTION "MARCHERS ASK A-SPY MERCY" APPEARED ON THE FRONT PAGE, NEWARK STAR
 LEDGER THIS MORNING, INDICATING THAT APPROXIMATELY 200 VOLUNTEERS OF THE NJ
 COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, CARRYING PLACARDS URGING MERCY
 FOR THE CONVICTED ATOM SPYS, LAST NIGHT PARADED TWO-BY-TWO UP AND DOWN
 BROAD STREET, NEWARK, NJ. THE MARCH COVERED MORE THAN THIRTY BLOCKS.
 MARCHERS, ACCORDING TO THE ARTICLE, MET WITH CONSIDERABLE VERBAL OPPOSITION
 BUT ONLY ONE ATTEMPT, HAVING ACTUAL INTERFERENCE WAS REPORTED. THE INCIDENT
 OCCURRED AT BROAD AND HANFORD STREETS WHEN AN UNIDENTIFIED MAN ATTEMPTED
 TO GRAB A PLACARD FROM A YOUNG WOMAN. THIS PLACARD PROCLAIMED "WHEN EVIDENCE
 PROVES THE CHIEF WITNESS AGAINST THE ROSENBERGS LIED." THE ARTICLE
 INDICATED THAT THE DEMONSTRATION FOLLOWED A MEETING HELD AT THE UNION HALL
 OF INTERNATIONAL FUR AND LEATHER WORKERS UNION, 1011 BROAD ST. MR. LEONARD
 FUSHEET OF IRVINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, REPORTED THAT 212 PERSONS
 ATTENDED THE MEETING. ESTABLISHED SOURCES INDICATE THAT MANY NJ CP LEADERS
 AND PARTY SYMPATHIZERS WENT TO WASHINGTON FOR THE CLEMENCY VIGIL BY TRAIN
 ON THE MORNING AND AFTERNOON OF JUNE 18, 1953. AMONG THE LEADERS, ACCORDING

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TO SOURCES, WERE ESTHER ENGLE LISS, FORMER NJ STATE CP OFFICE SECRETARY;
JANET BROWN, WIFE OF ARTHUR BROWN, FORMER MIDDLESEX COUNTY CP ORGANIZER;
AND ANITA PRICE ROBERTS, WHO IS ACTIVE IN THE NJ CP ~~UNEMPLOYED~~ APPARATUS
AND A LEADER IN THE NJ COMMITTEE FOR PEACEFUL ALTERNATIVES.

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Att: L. Boardman
Special Agent in charge
F.B.I. N.Y. N.Y.

151 No. Oxford Walk, Apt 4-
June 18, 1953 c/o Jacobs

Dear Mr Boardman:

I am sending you this material distributed at Westron
Fulton St's Brooklyn, N.Y. on June 16, 1953 in the evening and up to
about 10.30. After I spoke to one of your agents, I took that auto
license number of one of the people who were giving these pamphlets
out. This I believe may help you in ~~future~~ future investigations
of these Commies.

very truly yours

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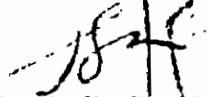
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Mr. Vincent O'Connell
Director, Chamber of Commerce
Long Beach, New York

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

I wish to thank you for making available to this office enclosures received by you through the mail. You may be assured this matter will receive appropriate attention.

Very truly yours,



LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

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11 AM

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG
CASE, IS-C. DAYLET. AT 11:01 PM 6/18 LAST, MAJORITY
OF PICKETS LEFT WHITE HOUSE AND BOARDED TWO TRAINS FOR
NYC VIA PA. RAILROAD DEPARTING D.C. 12 MIDNIGHT AND
12:10 AM 6/19/53 EDST. TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED 2143
ABOARD THESE TWO TRAINS WHICH IS APPROX. 350 LESS THAN
NUMBER WHICH ARRIVED ON CHARTERED TRAINS 6/18. AARON
SCHNEIDER, FUNCTIONARY CAPTIONED COMMITTEE, ADVISED DEPUTY
CHIEF WALDRODT, MPD LATE EVENING 6/18 PLANS OF COMMITTEE
WERE FOR AROUND THE CLOCK VIGIL AT WHITE HOUSE. DID NOT
ANTICIPATE MORE THAN FIFTY AT ANY TIME. AS OF 11 PM
6/18 COMMITTEE HAD NO PLANS FOR ANY CHARTERED TRAINS TO
ARRIVE D.C. 6/19. THROUGHOUT EVENING 6/18 SAS, WFO
OBSERVED PICKETING TO BE VERY ORDERLY AND IN THREE PARTS.
1. CIRCLING TREASURY BUILDING AT ALL TIMES. 2. IN FRONT
OF WHITE HOUSE ON PA. AVE. AT ALL TIMES. 3. INTERMITTENTLY
IN FRONT OF OLD STATE BUILDING ON PA. AVE. AND ALONG SIDE
SAME ON 17TH ST. COUNTER PICKETS VARIED IN NUMBER FROM
5 TO 20, AT 11 PM. THEY CONTINUED TO BE RATHER VOLUBLE

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AT 10:40 AM THIS DATE

SECRET SERVICE ADVISED APPROXIMATELY 200 IN PICKET LINE

AND COMMITTEE DID NOT PLAN ANYTHING UNTIL SUPREME COURT
RECONVENED. ON 6/18 COMMITTEE REQUESTED EVERY DEMONSTRATOR
THAT HAD FOUR DOLLARS TO REMAIN IN D.C. EMILY ALLEN WAS
TO MEET RETURNING TRAINS IN NYC AND ADVISE THOSE PEOPLE
OF PLANS FOR 6/19. MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG REMAINS IN D.C.
AND COMMITTEE PLANS TO USE HER AS LAST RESORT TO MAKE
PERSONAL APPEAL TO PRESIDENT. EISENHOWER HAS ADVISED THAT
HE WILL NOT SEE HER AND ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO
EXCLUDE HER FROM WHITE HOUSE GROUNDS. OBSERVATION AND
CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED AND BUREAU BEING CURRENTLY
TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS BASH G. BALLEW.

RE WFO AIRTEL TO BUREAU JUNE FIFTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] OF KNOWN

RELIABILITY, ORALLY ADVISED SA RUSSELL W. GUYER ON JUNE NINETEEN, NINETEEN

FIFTY THREE, [REDACTED]

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ROSENBERGS ELECTROCUTED [REDACTED] PROGRESSIVE ORGANIZATIONS IN WESTERN
 PENNSYLVANIA AREA WILL ATTEMPT TO SEND TWO HUNDRED PEOPLE TO PARTICIPATE IN
 NATIONAL MASS DEMONSTRATION AT ROSENBERG FUNERAL IN NEW YORK CITY.

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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

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DAYLET
NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, ISC.

b7d [REDACTED] ADVISED ROSENBERG COMMITTEE PLANNING TO ORGANIZE MONSTER RALLY FOR ^{five} 8:00 PM THIS EVENING AT UNION SQUARE, NYC, IN BEHALF OF ROSENBERGS. COMMITTEE SOLICITING UNIONS, JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS, TO PARTICIPATE. INFORMANT ENDEAVORING TO SECURE FURTHER DETAILS. NYCPD ADVISED. ANY ADDITIONAL INFO WILL BE FORWARDED BUREAU. INFORMANT STATED CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS TRYING TO GET ORTHODOX RABBINICAL ORGANIZATION AND OTHER CHURCH GROUPS TO JOIN RALLY AND INSIST EXECUTION NOT BE HELD INSTANT EVENING ON BASIS OF IT BEING SABBATH. ESTIMATED CROWD BY COMMITTEE TO BE TEN THOUSAND.

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NEW JERSEY COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, IS-C. DAYLET.
ALL ESTABLISHED SOURCES FURNISHING INFORMATION INDICATED THAT ALL-OUT
EFFORT BEING MADE TO HAVE AVAILABLE NJ INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATE IN A
RALLY FOR THE ROSENBERGS SCHEDULED FOR NINE P. M., UNION SQUARE, NYC,
TONIGHT.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH C. DOLLEY,
 FOLLOWING CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS SINCE SUBMISSION BY DOLLEY ELEVEN A.M. INSTANT
 DATE. ALL TIMES EST AND ALL OBSERVATIONS BY SAS WFO UNLESS OTHERWISE
 INDICATED. 12:37 P.M. APPROXIMATELY 350 PICKETS AT WHITE HOUSE. LINE
 INCREASING. 1:40 P.M. SECRET SERVICE ADVISED COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK HAD
 MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO CHARTER TRAINS ON ONE HOUR'S NOTICE. HERTZ-U-DRIVE-
 IT-TRUCK UNLOADED APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED PICKET SIGNS AT WHITE HOUSE.
 NY 776-3* ADVISED THAT AT 9:53 A.M. CARL MARZANI MADE LD CALL TO FEMALE
 QUOTE TEDDY END QUOTE IN BOSTON. MARZANI INQUIRED IF TEDDY WAS COMING
 DOWN TODAY AND SHE DID NOT THINK SO. TEDDY STATED THERE IS A POSSIBILITY
 THEY WILL SEND SOMEONE DOWN TODAY. TEDDY STATED "WE HAD A THING YESTERDAY,
 IT HAD A LOT OF ELEMENTS OF VIOLENCE." TEDDY INDICATED SHE WOULD SEND A
 "CLIP" ON IT. IN FURTHER REFERENCE TO THE "THING" TEDDY STATED "AND I
 DON'T THINK WE WILL HAVE ANY TODAY BECAUSE IT IS VERY RISKY AND POORLY
 IT IS WITHOUT VERY MUCH PURPOSE UP HERE." TEDDY STATED SHE SUGGESTED
 RAISING MONEY AND SENDING PEOPLE AND SHE WAS PLANNING TO CALL MARZANI IN
 EVENT THEY DO SEND SOMEBODY. SIGNIFICANCE AND OTHER DETAILS OF ABOVE
 CONVERSATION UNKNOWN TO WFO. APPROXIMATELY 1:45 P.M. OFFICE OF CAPITOL

POLICE ADVISED THEY HAD HEARD RADIO BROADCAST TO EFFECT 12,000 DEMONSTRATORS
 WOULD COME TO DC TODAY. SUBSEQUENTLY METROPOLITAN PD ADVISED THEY HAD
 CONTACTED COMMITTEE FUNCTIONARY SCHNEIDER IN NEW YORK AND THAT NO TRAINS

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WERE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE NEW YORK TODAY AND THAT THE COMMITTEE WAS IN
FINANCIAL STRAITS. 2:15 P.M. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PRESS CONFERENCE HELD AT PICKET LINE AND NEWS RELEASE READ BY
JOSEPH BRAKIN TO FOLLOWING EFFECT. OPINIONS OF BLACK, BOULAS, AND
FRANKFURTER EMPHASIZES DOUBTS IN CASE. THERE IS NOTHING COMMITTEE CAN
DO NOW BUT TO ASK SPIRITUAL LEADERS OF CATHOLIC, PROTESTANT, AND JEWISH
FAITHS AND POLITICAL LEADERS FRANCE, ITALY, AND GREAT BRITAIN TO PLEAD
FOR CLEMENCY. COMMITTEE SENT TELEGRAM TO ROSENBERG REQUESTING AUDIENCE
FOR COMMITTEE'S OFFICERS BUT SAME WAS REFUSED. SENTENCE GIVEN ROSENBERGS
IN CONTRAST TO THOSE METED OUT TO AKBIS BALLY, TOKYO ROSE, AND JOHN PROVOO
CANNOT BE EXPLAINED TO WORLD. THE ELECTRIC CHAIR IS NOT THE ANSWER.
MILLEN SCHILL PRESENT ABOVE CONFERENCE AND MADE PLEA THAT ROSENBERGS ARE
INNOCENT. PICKET LINE AT 3:25 P.M. APPROXIMATELY 400. 3:45 P.M. [REDACTED]

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ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

BERNARD J. ROSE
1150 PARK AVENUE
NEW YORK 28, N. Y.

June 19/53

F.B.I.
Gentlemen

Confirming my conversation
with Mr. MacPhee enclosed
find letter read by me today.
You will note the writing
on back of Circular. What
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11:00 PM

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C, DAILY
 THE FOLLOWING IS CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS SINCE STREET SIGN LAST DAY, 8:03 PM
 PICKET LINE STILL OPERATING WITH ABOUT 400 PARTICIPATING. 25 COULTE PICKETS.
 8:25 PM PICKETS STILL MARCHING. JOSEPH B. WELSH, DON BROTHERS AND HENRY
 SOBELL ALSO IN PICKET LINE. FOLLOWING LOCAL PEOPLE OBSERVED ALL OF THEM
 HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS CP MEMBERS: JOHN AND DORIS HEDDER, JOSEPH BELSER,
 FREDERICK EVANS, ANN YALOW AND REBECCA STARKMAN. 8:46 PM PICKET LINE STOPPED
 AND HENRY SOBELL MADE PREPARED SPEECH TO THOSE PRESENT INCLUDING NEWSPAPER
 SUPPORTERS. SOBELL IN BRIEF STATED "YOU WILL REGRET HAVING PUT THESE LEADERS"
 TO DEATH. 8:51 PM PICKET LINE BEGAN AND PARTICIPANTS WALKING DOWN FIFTEENTH
 STREET TOWARD PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE OR CONSTITUTION AVENUE. ALL ABOVE INFO
 OBTAINED BY AGENTS WFO. 8:55 PM [REDACTED] ADVISED THERE WAS NO DEMONSTRATION
 BY PICKETS; THAT NEWS OF THE ROSENBERG'S DEATH WAS RECEIVED BY PICKETS AT
 8:50 PM THROUGH CAR RADIO. [REDACTED]

INFORMANT IDENTIFIED NUMEROUS CP MEMBERS IN LINE.

PICKETERS ORDERED TO NOT SMOKE OR TALK FOR PERIOD ALMOST ONE HOUR WHEN

ADVISED EXECUTION COMPLETED.

LETTER

BY ETHEL ROSENBERG WAS DELIVERED TO WHITE HOUSE. (THIS MAY BE IN ERROR SINCE

PREVIOUS INFORMATION WAS TO EFFECT LETTER WAS BY SONIA ROSENBERG.) INFORMANT

HEARD CONSIDERABLE SMOKE DEMONSTRATED BY DEMONSTRATORS. SHORTLY AFTER NEWS

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THE PICKETTES STOPPED MARCHING AND SILENTLY FACED WHITE HOUSE WITH PLACARDS HELD HIGH. INFORMANT UNABLE TO HEAR SPEECH IN CENTER OF CROWD AS HE APPROXIMATELY ONE-HALF BLOCK AWAY. CROWD THEN DISBURSED TO WALK TO 9th STREET AND CONSTITUTION AVENUE WHERE BUSES AWAITED. OUT-OF-TOWNERS TO LEAVE BY TRAIN AND BUS. 10:01 PM AGENTS WHO OBSERVED CROWD OF ABOUT 400 AT 9 AND CONSTITUTION AVENUE. SOME OF DEMONSTRATORS BOARDED FOUR OR FIVE CHARTERED TELEFAYS BUSES BOUND FOR NEW YORK. 37 PASSENGERS PER BUS. REMAINDER OF CROWD TOOK CABS TO UNION STATION. REMAINDER BLOCK PRESENT AT 9TH AND CONSTITUTION AVENUE AND DESIRED TO MAKE SPEECH BUT WAS PREVENTED BY OFFICERS, MPD.

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NJ COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, DR. C. DAYLEY, CONFIDENTIAL

INFORMANTS [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] HAVE REPORTED THAT APPROXIMATELY 20 PEOPLE ACTIVE IN THE NJ CP AND CP FRONT AFFAIRS ATTENDED THE CLEMENCY RALLY HELD UNION SQUARE, NYC, JUNE 19, 1953, ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] NY
[REDACTED] WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN CP AFFAIRS, ORGANIZED A ROSENBERG MEMORIAL MEETING HELD NEWARK, NJ, SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 20, 1953. 208 PEOPLE ATTENDED THIS AFFAIR. MANY OF THESE OBSERVED HAVE BEEN REPORTED AS BEING ACTIVE IN NJ CP AFFAIRS.

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TO : SAC

DATE: June 22, 1953

FROM : SA J. J. FERRELEY

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FOR: IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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NOBEL PRIZE WINNER HAROLD UREY
SAYS GREENGLASS PERJURED SELF
ASKS INTERVIEW WITH EISENHOWER

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- "Dr. Harold Urey's statement that David Greenglass, chief witness against the Rosenbergs, ~~was mysteriously withdrawn~~ the atom bomb secret, reveals finally that the prosecution did not call the scientist as a witness because he would have exploded the case against the Rosenbergs," the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, said today. Dr. Urey had been listed as a witness by the prosecution, but was mysteriously withdrawn without explanation.

"Dr. Urey's request to see the President has the support of all fair-minded persons who feel that the execution of the Rosenbergs in the face of Greenglass' proven perjury is unthinkable," the Committee added. It urged that letters be sent to the President asking that he grant an interview to the world's leading physicist.

Dr. Urey's statement, which follows in full, was made public at a press conference today in Washington, D.C. by Emanuel Bloch, defense attorney for Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

Committee To Secure Justice In The Rosenberg Case

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"The case against the Rosenbergs outrages logic and justice. It depends on the testimony of Greenglass and his wife, both confessed spies and alleged accomplices of the Rosenbergs. Greenglass is supposed to have revealed to the Russians the 'secret' of the atomic bomb. Though the information supposed to have been transmitted could have been important a man of Greenglass' capacity is wholly incapable of transmitting the physics, chemistry and mathematics of the atomic bomb to anyone. He and his wife were the only ones who pretended to connect the Rosenbergs with atomic espionage. New evidence makes even more plain what was plain enough before, that the prosecution's case has no logic in it, and that it depends upon the blowing up of patently perjured testimony.

"I tried to see the Attorney General this past week but was unable to secure an appointment. On behalf of all those interested in the defense I ask to be allowed to present my understanding of the case to you, Mr. President."

(signed) HAROLD UREY

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ROUND-THE-CLOCK VIGIL MAINTAINED
AFTER 13,000 GATHER AT WHITE HOUSE
IN APPEAL FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY

WASHINGTON, June 14--A 24-hour round-the clock- White House vigil was under way tonight after 13,000 men, women and children from throughout the United States journeyed here to gather before the White House in an appeal to President Eisenhower for clemency for Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

The 13,000, a total arrived at by newsmen, constituted what was believed to be the largest gathering of this kind that Washington had ever seen.

The high point of the appeal came when Michael and Rebbe Rosenberg, the children of the couple who are condemned to die on their 14th wedding anniversary this Thursday night, arrived at the White House with their grandmother, Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg, who is the mother of Julius.

Rabbi Abraham Cronbach of Cincinnati, eminent biblical scholar, offered a brief prayer for clemency. Then Michael, who is ten years old, walked to a White House gate with his six-year old brother and left a letter for President Eisenhower.

The letter, the second one that the youngster has written to the President said: "I hope you got my letter that I sent because it is a letter about not let anything happen to my mommy and daddy."

The gathering then proceeded together from the White House to the lawn at Constitution Ave. and 9th Street, where a prayer meeting for clemency was held.

Prayers were offered by the Rev. Harold Williamson of New York, The Rev. Amos Murphy of Boston, and Rabbi Cronbach.

Mrs. Rosenberg pleaded with the thousands, many of whom were weeping openly, not to "let my son and his sweet wife go to the electric chair."

David Alan, executive secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, urged the

rapidly growing work sentiment for clemency, and declared that "The Rosenbergs can be saved."

The number of persons who poured into the city to ask clemency was far above what anyone had expected. Entire families came by car, bus, train and plane.

Among the states represented were Michigan, Wisconsin, Connecticut, North Carolina, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Florida, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, Texas, Massachusetts, Washington, Colorado, Ohio, California, Indiana, Oregon and many more. A delegation of mothers from Canada also joined in the appeal.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case had only arranged for one clemency train from Jersey City, N.J. But there was such a crowd at the station that another train had to be added, and then a third followed.

When the trains arrived at Union Station they were greeted by a throng of persons from other parts of the country who had already arrived.

There were thousands of signs carried in the group, all of them urging clemency for the Rosenbergs, and pointing out the many reasons why millions in this country and abroad have demanded that the parents be spared.

The Committee said in a statement that "The representation in Washington is only a tiny fraction of the tremendous number of petitioners.

"The Committee fears that, as in the past, the numbers and character of the request for clemency may be withheld from the President, and feels that this demonstration is an effective means of letting him know what is going on."

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"THE DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG comes off the press on June 11, just one week before scheduled execution on June 18th, which is their wedding anniversary.

We ask you to read and review DEATH HOUSE LETTERS as a documentary of the young couple, whose case, in the space of three years, has become known to the whole world. Whether you believe them guilty, whether you believe their plea of innocence, whether you have doubts, or whether you think their sentence just or unjust, we feel sure you will find this book a unique record of the thoughts, emotions and pain of parents who have lived with death for three years.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case is distributing the book in the United States for the Jero Publishing Co., Inc. European publishing houses are bringing the book out in several languages abroad, and already Figaro has bought the serial rights in France. Other leading European publishers are negotiating similar rights for England, Holland, Italy, and Scandinavian countries.

All profits from sales of the book, wherever published, will go into a trust fund for the care of the Rosenberg children, Michael, 10, and Robbie, 6. The book sells for \$1.00.

In view of the imminent execution date set for the Rosenbergs, the usual time given for reviews in advance of actual publication is being skipped. We hope that you will read DEATH HOUSE LETTERS right away and schedule your review as quickly as possible. *Permission is granted by the Jero Publishing Co. to quote from the book for review purposes. Please call us for any additional information you may need.

Theodore Jacobs,
Public Relations Director

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GATHERING OF THOUSANDS FROM
THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AT WHITE HOUSE
TO START 24-HOUR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY VIGIL

Washington, June 12--The gathering of thousands of men, women and children from throughout the United States in front of the White House on Sunday (June 14) at 2 p.m. to appeal to President Eisenhower to grant clemency to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg will start a 24-hour daily White House vigil.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announced the vigil as demands mounted throughout the country and abroad for President Eisenhower to grant clemency.

Sunday's gathering, which will reflect the millions of clemency letters and telegrams President Eisenhower has received from Americans and the millions more from abroad, will include persons from virtually every major city in the United States. The Committee said that the gathering has certain to be much larger than any of the previous Rosenberg gatherings at the White House.

Families are coming from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee, South Bend, Pittsburgh, Dallas, Seattle, Denver, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Newark, New York, Buffalo, Albany, Boston and many more.

A special Eastern Seaboard Clemency Train will leave Jersey City, N.J., at 8:30 a.m. (Daylight Time), on the B. & O. Railroad. The train will start with persons from New England and the New York City area and will stop along the way for others on the route to Washington. It will arrive at Union Station at 12:50 p.m.

The national headquarters of the Committee to Secure Justice at 1030 Sixth Ave., N.Y., reported a heavy demand for reservations on the Clemency Train and an onrush of telegrams from persons throughout the country announcing their plans to participate.

The date the Rosenbergs are scheduled to die, Thursday, June 18, is their 14th wedding anniversary. Their execution would leave orphaned their two children, Michael, 10, who has written the President asking that his parents be spared, and his brother Robbie, 8.

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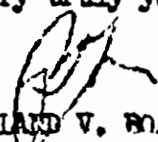
Mr. Handel Barrow
151 No. Oxford Walk, Apt. 4-F
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Barrow:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 18, 1953, with enclosure.

I wish to thank you for again communicating with this office. The comments set forth in your letter have been appropriately noted.

Very truly yours,


LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS - C. DAYLET.
PH EIGHTYTWO-S ADVISED LAST NIGHT THAT NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF
CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION WILL MEET TONIGHT AT EIGHT THIRTY PM AT
HOME OF DAVID ALMAN, TWENTY MONROE ST., NYC. JEAN FRANTJIS,
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-2545)
FROM : Director, FBI (100-7254)
SUBJECT: COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS
INTERNAL SECURITY - C
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

DATE: May 29, 1953

Reurlet dated May 15, 1953, captioned "Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, Inc., Internal Security - C."

The problems set forth in relet have been considered by the Bureau and the following procedure is being authorized for the New York Office only.

In connection with your attempts to develop available witnesses for proceedings against Communist front organizations under the Internal Security Act of 1950, requests for authority to interview security subjects without the submission of an up-to-date report must be submitted on an individual basis for Bureau approval. In addition to the provisions set forth in Section 87-C of the Manual of Instructions, your memoranda requesting authority for interviews should contain the results of a current file review setting forth any known activities of the subject subsequent to the submission of your last report.

Your initial interview with a subject must be strictly confined to the organization, or organizations, in question. In the event, however, during the course of an interview the subject reveals himself to be cooperative, your field of questioning may be broadened to include matters other than the organization or organizations in question.

The results of your interviews should be promptly furnished to the Bureau under the appropriate case caption. This information should also be channeled to the appropriate case files in your office in order that the results of the interviews may be reported in connection with the interviewee's Security Matter case.

Any further action taken by you with regard to recontact with a security subject must be strictly in accordance with existing Bureau instructions. Memoranda submitted by your office requesting authority to interview security subjects must be on a selective basis and must contain information indicating the security subject will be a desirable witness if he cooperates.

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As requested in relet, and in the event a current file review in your office contains no information which would make such action inadvisable, you may consider instant letter as authority to interview Oscar Henry Hunter regarding the Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, Inc.

TO : SAC, New York

FROM : THORNTON M. WOOD, SA (100-112999)

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS
PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY REPORTS
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

DATE: 6/23/53

Reference is made to Bulet 5/29/53, captioned as above.

Rebulet sets out procedure to be followed in requesting interviews of security subjects in efforts to develop available witnesses for proceedings against Communist Front Organizations under the ISA of 1950.

As the instructions contained in relet pertain to all cases which are under investigation under the provisions of the Internal Security Act of 1950, a mimeograph copy of rebulet is being disseminated, together with a copy of this memorandum, to the appropriate case files. It is to be noted that instructions in rebulet pertain only to the New York Office.

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COPY

Dear Sir:

I received the enclosed. I don't know the source, but maybe
some one would be interested.

Very truly yours,

(signed)

Clarence Harney

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WLF

Gentlemen:

I am forwarding the enclosed matter which was mistakenly sent to an office of the [redacted]

The letter was addressed to "Dave Sonnenschein, Tebro Company, 55 Delancy Street, New York City, New York".

The letter was mistakenly opened in this office and not returned to the Post Office. I would appreciate your treating this matter on a confidential basis [redacted]

Very truly yours,

Attached as charged

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Enclosed please find
 prints & negatives I took at
 a recent "Save the Rosenberg
 Communist inspired rally
 on Raroway Beach Long
 Island. Also you the latter
 people were active in the rally
 as you can see the photographs
 print to good end of the film
 for the reason that I was
 threatened by these people not
 to take pictures of them. So
 I had to take them at
 distance. While I am sending

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you these photographs I remember
something that should be of
interest to you. I recall about
6 years ago a friend & myself
worked one summer putting
up screens & storm windows &
one of the houses we did
was that of DR. RAUCHE A.
DENTIST. Living on CORNAGA
AVE. NEAR BCH. 9th ST. IN
FARRUCKAWAY. While we were
in the basement which incidently
is outfitted like an auditorium
we noticed behind what seemed
like a box all kinds of Communist
literature maybe thousands of
handbills etc. Plus stacks
of cards which indicated donation
to the Communist Party & gave
membership in the Communist
Party. Probably you know

about this already out in case
you but I would appreciate
your keeping this on record.
Hoping that you can make
some use of the pictures & I
will continue to take use of
these submersible pictures & send
them to you.

Sincerely yours



W.D.

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

June 23, 1950


Dear [REDACTED]

I am in receipt of your letter forwarding the pictures which you state you took at a recent rally of the Rosenberg Committee at Rockaway Beach, Long Island, New York.

It is most thoughtful of you to make these pictures available to our office and you may rest assured that they will be made a permanent record in this office as well as the other information which you furnished.

I want to thank you again for the trouble you went to in taking these pictures and making them available to this office.

Very truly yours,


IRELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

100-107111

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100-107111-1092

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

DATE: June 23, 1953

FROM : Director, FBI (100-387835)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE
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There are enclosed for your information two photostats of a letter dated 6/2/53 and signed by the Northern Westchester Chapter of the captioned organization.

The original copy of this letter was forwarded to the Bureau by Walter Winchell, who received it from a "resident" of Croton.

Enclosure *mc*

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